WINTER SPORTS

The prospects for the continuation of winter weather are good. This will be pleasing to the youngsters and many of the grown-ups as well. It means the revival of our program for winter sports. This can be made a permanent enterprise. Try to keep it alive in every way possible. The people in the Middle States and the South are learning more about this section of New England. Good, crisp cool weather puts pep and vitality into the old as well as the young. Let's broadcast this idea to the world.

NEW ENGLAND --- THE IDEAL WINTER RESORT

THE WEATHER

Washington, Dec. 2—Forecast for northern New England: generally fair tonight and Wednesday; somewhat warmer Wednesday; moderate fresh west and northwest winds.

THE PORTSMOUTH HERALD

FIRST IN NEWS---CIRCULATION GREATEST

SUN AND TIDE

Standard Time

Sun Rises 6.54
Sun Sets 4.13
Length of Day 9.19
High Tide .....3.35 a m, 3.55 p m
Moon Sets .....11.00 p m
Light Auto Lamps at .....4.43 p m

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TWO SHOOTINGS AND ONE SUICIDE IN N. H.

Atwell Otis of Newfields Takes Own Life --Grange Man Mistaken for Deer-- Lisbon Boy Accidentally Shot

Two fatal shooting accidents and a suicide was the toll in New Hampshire of the past 24 hours. Atwell Otis, 52, of Newfields, took his own life by shooting. Grange was instantly killed when mistaken for a deer and Llewelyn Buck, 16-year-old Lisbon High school boy, was killed by the accidental discharge of his own gun. In addition to this Elwin Weir of East Concord is on the danger list as the result of injuries received in a coasting accident.

Atwell Otis of Newfields committed suicide by shooting himself in the head yesterday afternoon at the farm of Clifford S. Dixon in that town, where he was employed. Mr. Otis conversed with Mr. Dixon in the barn about getting his farm chores done on account of early darkness. A revolver shot was heard soon after, and Mr. Dixon investigating found Otis' body. Otis had lived in Newmarket since early youth. He is survived by a brother, Leroy P. Otis of Newfields, and a sister in Springvale, Me.

Llewelyn Buck of Lisbon was instantly killed yesterday afternoon by the accidental discharge of his own gun. He was hunting with three of his boy friends when, in attempting to climb over a rock, the gun caught, inflicting a wound in his side. He was rushed to the Woodsville hospital where it was found that the boy's belt buckle had been driven through his body to the spinal cord. His death followed soon after.

Thomas Whitney of Grange was shot through the head and instantly killed while hunting deer with two of his sons. The bullet is said to have been fired by Elmon Barnes, who mistook him for a deer.

Elwin Weir of Concord is in the hospital with three broken ribs, a punctured lung and severe cuts about the head as the result of a coasting accident when a double runner with four passengers collided with a motor car. Weir was steering the sled.

McENELLY'S THURSDAY EVENING

These few lines will remind you of the McEnelly orchestra dance in Freeman's hall Thursday evening. The concert program will include many of the numbers broadcasted by the orchestra during the past month. Balcony open at 7. Concert at 8. Then the dancing.

Walter Robinson of Thornton street is confined to his home with the grippe.

ROYAL ARCANUM HAS ELECTION

C. L. Cass is Elected Regent For the Comig Year

At the regular meeting of Alpha Council, Royal Arcanum, last evening the following officers were elected:

Regent—C. L. Cass
Vice Regent—J. H. Dechene
Orator—C. E. Hooper
Chaplain—C. Hislop
Guide—E. Clough
Warden—G. A. Howard
Sentry—W. Taylor
Secretary—H. H. Brown
Treasurer—E. P. Churchill
Collector—J. O. Pettigrew
Trustee—D. E. Ewer.

Refreshments were served after the meeting.

EPIDEMIC OF HICCOUGHS AT SANFORD

Sanford, Me., Dec. 2—An epidemic of hiccoughs has struck Sanford and a number of persons stricken with the disease have not been able to stop hiccoughing for two or three days.

Hats, values up to $12.50, now selling at from $1.50 to $6.50 at K. A. Keefe's, 30 High St.

MANY CASUALTIES IN COMMUNIST REVOLT

Public Buildings in Esthonia Attacked-- Eighteen Soldiers and Large Number of Rebels Killed at Riga

(By Associated Press)

Ravel, Esthonia, Dec. 2—Armed Communists attacked certain government and military building here Monday. According to the officials the attack was immediately suppressed and order restored. The Esthonian foreign minister addressed a note to the Soviet government at Moscow protesting against the recent anti-Esthonian demonstration in Leningrad and Yaburg and demanding an energetic investigation.

Washington, Dec. 2—Harold R. Quarton, American consul at Reval, reporting the Communist outbreaks there, said that martial law had been proclaimed. The consul said the Communists attacked the president's house and quarters of the general staff. Gen. Laidner was ordered to enforce martial law and the Communists were routed. This was followed by 40 arrests.

Helsingfors, Finland, Dec. 2—According to advices received from Reval, the Esthonian capital, armed men occupied the railway station there Monday and attempted to capture the telegraph and telephone office. Several persons, including a number of police, are reported to have been killed, and others, including M. Kark, minister of communications, were wounded. Order was restored by troops after a number of scattered fights, in which hand grenades and machine guns were used.

Riga, Latavia, Dec. 2—It was asserted here that the attempted rising in Reval was provoked by Russian Communist emissaries. The Communist after sanguinary fighting, gained possession of several government buildings, but owing to the loyalty of the troops and the police the trouble was put down. The casualties included 18 soldiers and a much larger number of Communists.

NAVY YARD PAY TO BE LITTLE CHANGED

Wage Board Meets to Formulate Annual Recommendations to Secretary

Washington, Dec. 2—The navy wage board next Monday is to formulate its annual recommendations to the secretary as to navy yard wage scales which will be based for each yard on the reports of the local wage boards.

Progress was made in the way of hearing verbal and written communications from representatives of the yard workers in cases where local board recommendations were disputed by particular classes of workers. The schedules thus covered included yard clerical forces, supervisory offices, such as master mechanics and the technical classifications. The schedule which embraced the mechanical trades at the yards will be heard tomorrow, and the departmental board will then begin its detailed consideration of the recommendations of the lobal boards.

In the opinion of those familiar with the situation at the various yards, indications point towards relatively small variations in the wage scales during the next calendar year from those established for 1924, which differed only slightly from the range of pay for 1923. While some increases have been recommended by certain local boards, in the main, the proposed schedules conform to those now in effect.

VERMONT BOYS SENTENCED TO 20 YEARS FOR THEFT

Burlington, Vt., Dec. 2—Joseph Dennis and John Delisle, both 16, were sentenced to serve 20 years at hard labor in state prison in Windsor by Judge Cowles in city court here this morning.

The two boys confessed to more than a dozen burglaries in and around Burlington.

70 INJURED BY TORNADO

(By Associated Press)

Nice, France, Dec. 2—A tornado swept the city at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, lasting about 20 seconds, while a great waterspout appeared just off shore. A number of buildings were wrecked and about 70 persons were injured. The wind caught the crowd on the promenade and many persons were hurled to the ground. The walls of the Gendarmerie collapsed, injuring several persons.

WIRE SERVICE IS IMPROVED

The wire service about the city was somewhat improved on Monday and today, but it was far from being right. The Portsmouth Power Co. has the majority of its street light circuits cleared and about all the city was lighted last night, but there is still a great deal of work in the outlying districts, where the tangle of wires was so great that no juice could be turned into some sections for fear of crossing the telephone and other wires.

The New England Telephone & Telegraph Co. had every available man on the job, working day and night, and they are just beginning to make some headway, as they are facing the worst situation and wire tangle that the company has ever had to contend with.

Last night there was a Dover and a Portland wire working, but no trunk lines into Boston had been opened at all and today there was little improvement. With so much damage done and many poles down it seems like an endless task.

Truck loads of supplies, miles of wire, cross arms and other construction material were shipped out of Boston all day yesterday and all the available linesmen from districts not affected by the storm were working with construction crews. In this section many of the local circuits were cleared, but there were still some without service late this afternoon.

MAIN STREET OPENS TODAY

The North Church parish house is in festive array for the opening of the unique Christmas sale of the Woman's Guild this afternoon and throngs will be present. The parish house has been arranged as Main Street and at the shops are sold a variety of useful and ornamental articles. There is a Japanese tea garden where Japanese girls will serve tea from 3 to 5 p. m. and supper from 5 to 7 p. m. The many attractions of Main Street will bring out throngs of people to this busy shopping district. The Woman's Guild of the North Church has been working for weeks for the sale and the shops show a wonderful display of goods, while there are various attractions which all will enjoy.

FOOD SALE

Why bake a cake next Saturday? You can buy a good one at the St. John's Guild food sale. Also buy an apron to wear when you want to cook.
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ACCIDENT SUIT OPENS IN COURT

Miss Josephine Brown of North Hampton Plaintiff in Case Opening This Morning

The case of Josephine M. Brown of North Hampton against James S. Manuel of Rye and John Field of Portsmouth was opened in superior court this morning.

It is a suit for injuries alleged to have been received by the plaintiff in an automobile accident on the night of Nov. 20, 1923 at Ward's Corner when Miss Brown is alleged to have sustained an injury to her hip which required medical treatment.

Attys. Sewall and Waldron represent the plaintiff and Attorney Hughes of Dover and the firm of Marvin, Bachelder and Peyser, the defendant.

The following jury was drawn: William Evans of Seabrook, Clinton E. Emery of Auburn, Forest O. Bailey of Hampton, Henry D. Miller of Chester, Charles S. Shepard of Raymond, James H. Abbott of Derry, Frank H. Churchill, Charles Colbeth, Charles H. Amhoff, James Jameson of Portsmouth, Frank Blaisdell of Epping and Frank E. James of Hampton.

After the opening introduction to the jury by Attorney Jeremy Waldron the jury was taken to the scene of the accident.

SHOULD RETURN BALLOTS

Members of the Chamber of Commerce are urged to return their referendum ballots which were sent to them last week asking for their approval or otherwise of the proposed program of work. These ballots are to be returned to the Chamber of Commerce office not later than 5 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. These reports will be presented to the board of directors at the regular meeting next week and plans made at once to undertake the more important projects without delay.

INCREASE FOR ENGINEERS

Board of Public Works Hold Regular Meeting

The regular meeting of the Board of Public Works was held last evening with Messrs. Collins and Hasty present. The records of the previous meeting were read and approved.

A committee from the Haven School Parents-Teachers' Association, Messrs. William Palfrey and G. J. Odiorne, appeared before the board asking for filling and grading in the school yard and also for relocation of "warning signs" for automobiles for the protection of the school children. The superintendent was instructed to get an estimate of the cost of such work.

Insurance on Ford truck was renewed for one year with the Hartford Accident and Indemnity Co.

City Solicitor Joseph D. Sullivan was authorized to file a claim with the trustees in the bankruptcy proceedings against the estate of Arthur W. Horton for the sum of $64.96 for water bills due the city.

It was voted to accept the offer of Sam Hooz of $7.50 per ton for junk at the city yard, that being the highest bid received, bidder to deposit the price of five tons before the removal of said junk.

Vouchers amounting to $208.42, account of highway department, and account of water department amounting to $1040.96 were approved and ordered paid.

It was voted that an increase of 50 cents per diem be given the engineers at Sherburne and Haven pumping stations beginning Jan. 1.

The superintendent's report was received and discussed.

SPECIAL NOTICE

I wish to inform those who are interested that I am not a candidate for councilman in Ward 4.
1t d2 WILLIAM P. HOYNE.

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Specially designed to accompany any radio receiving set.

RADIO ANNUALLY SAVES MILLION FOR THE U. S.

(By Associated Press)

Washington, Dec. 2.—The Naval Communication Service, which is virtually all radio, is a big factor in Governmental economies these days. Adding what it actually earns by handling commercial accounts and what it saves on transmitting official messages, the total approaches $1,000,000 a year.

During the past fiscal year the naval stations collected $315,000 for commercial messages sent, compared with earnings of $262,738 in 1923 and $1,095,842 in 1920. Naturally the navy does not compete with commercial radio stations, only operating where and when commercial stations are not available or able to handle traffic.

An estimate of the saving to the Government in 1924 on official messages sent by radio, compared with the cost of the messages had been sent at Government rates by commercial stations, approximates $500,000. The check on messages handled and on rates is not comparable to commercial systems, however, due to lack of naval necessity and personnel.

Of course the saving is "on paper." Actual official traffic handled for the Navy and other Governmental departments in the past fiscal year, nevertheless, shows a grand total of over 90,000,000 words. Seventeen million words were sent and received by the Alaskan division, the great volume being due partly to the failure of the Government cable during that time. The Washington office, known as Radio Central, handled 12,000,000 words during the same time, other districts making up the grand total. Messages sent and received between two stations are counted twice, however, as each station counts the traffic handled.

Primarily the Naval Communication Service is maintained to provide a means of communication between the seat of Government and the various naval units as well as between these units, both in time of peace and war. The handling of other Government business is incidental, and the transmission of commercial traffic is only under specific conditions defined by law.

Today the naval radio net includes 13 primary stations, with ranges between 2500 and 5000 miles; 23 intermediate stations varying in range from 1000 to 2000 miles; 72 coastal stations reaching about 1000 miles and 55 radio compass stations. Besides these there is a radio station on every ship and aircraft and three experimental stations such as the Naval Research Laboratory at Bellevue. Besides stations in all our insular possessions the navy also operates a station in Pekin, China; Managua and Nicaragua.

It is a long trek from Reading, Vt., to the Chicopee lockup, but one lone hound made the distance of more than 150 miles. With his ribs standing out in strong relief and mud-bespattered he whined at the entrance to the office of Capt. Connor. On his collar was the address of A. Allen of Reading, Vt., and the captain notified by telephone the police of that place that he had a visitor who would be very glad to get home if some one came after him.

Basketball will make its bow on Wednesday evening.

KITTERY TEAM PLAYS DEMOLAY ON THURSDAY

The Kittery Town Team plays the DeMolay at Kittery on Thursday evening in their new hall. The team since their defeat by the Naval Prison, have been practicing about every night and will begin to get into its regular form before long.

Traip Academy candidates came out on Monday and Coach Blanchard started the boys in their preliminary practice. There is only one or two from the last year's team but there are a number of new candidates who look very promising.

NEWFOUNDLAND FACES WINTER OF SCARCITY

St. Johns, N. B., Dec. Fears are felt here that as a result of the recent longshoremen's strike there may be a shortage of food and other necessities this winter in the remote sections of Labrador and on the north and west coasts of Newfoundland. The strike came at a time when there is ordinarily intense activity in this island in forwarding supplies to those sections. Every effort is being made to make up the time lost through the cessation of work along the waterfront, but it is considered doubtful whether enough food can be transported before communications are cut by ice to tide the northern inhabitants through the winter.

Winter sets in early in Newfoundland and great ice floes drifting south from the Arctic blockade the north and west coasts from late November to May. Only the strongest ice-breaking steamers can penetrate this blockade in its earliest and latest stages, and through the greater part of the long winter Labrador and northern Newfoundland are completely cut off from communication.

A further prospective shortage in supplies which may affect the whole of Newfoundland is foreseen from the probability that three or four steamers now bringing flour here from Montreal will be unable to make another voyage to that city and return before navigation closes. Particular anxiety is felt over the plight of keepers of northern lighthouses and their families as the ice is likely to create a barrier about their stations early in the season.

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Ordinary headache remedies by slowing-up circulation put extra strain on the heart. But this wonderful new prescription simply goes direct to the congested blood-vessels in the aching head and relieves the pressure that is causing the pain. So throbs and aches fairly fly away. Positively no narcotics nor harmful drugs. Ask for AN-A-CIN tablets—cost only 25c a box—and money back if not pleased. Sold and guaranteed by Philbrick's Pharmacy and Coleman's Drug Store.

Fred Shreuder of Jewell City, Kas., is the tallest man in his state in all probabilities, as his claim to being the Kansas giant goes uncontested. He is 6 feet, 9 inches tall, and he is a hard-working farmer. He weighs 255 pounds and has no desire to enter the prize ring.

As early as Nov. 20, N. P. Wheeler harvested 5000 pounds of ice from Pierce Pone at Hartford, Vt. The ice had a thickness of three and three-quarters inches and is as clear as glass.

EIGHT KILLED DURING MAINE HUNTING SEASON

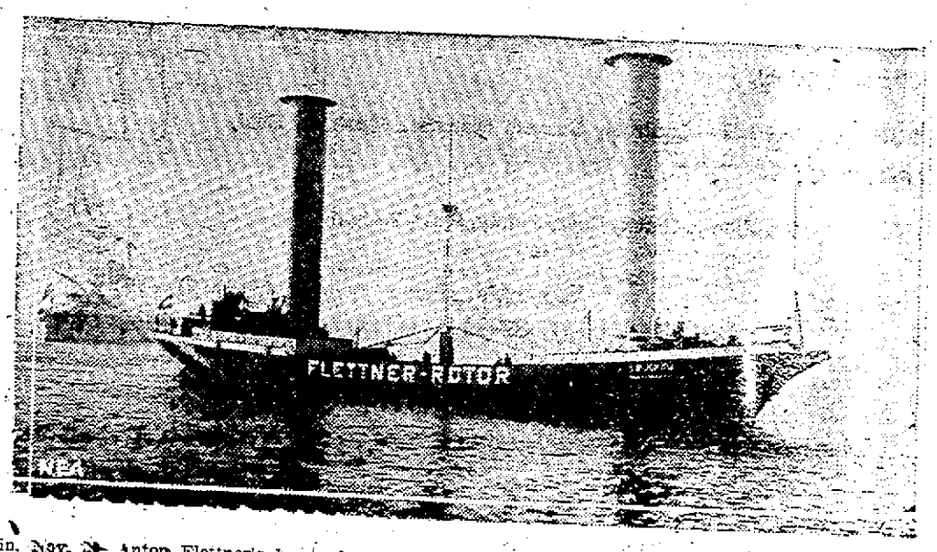
Augusta, Me., Dec. 1.—Eight human lives were sacrificed, one less than last year, during the big game hunting season in Maine, which closed last night, it was announced at the State House Saturday. Two were killed in mistake for a deer, and three by the accidental discharge of their own guns.

While it was hard hunting, owing to the continued dry weather, Willis E. Parsons, commissioner of Inland Fisheries and Game, said that plenty of game had been taken, and that reports show rather more deer in the woods than last year. Many bears were shot, he added.

Second Big Jersey Fire

Jersey City, N. J., was the scene of two big waterfront fires each causing damage running into the millions within 72 hours. Fireboats are shown here attacking the flames which destroyed two Erie railroad piers filled with merchandise. Lighters and cars also were consumed and two firemen were injured.

Ship Has No Sail, But It Sails



Berlin, Nov. 30—Anton Flettner's boat, showing 60 foot rotors fore and aft, may revolutionize ocean transportation as completely as did the steam boat. The rotors, steel cylinders, nine feet in diameter, make 110 revolutions a minute, generating power from air currents, and thus drive the ship. Just how this is accomplished is a dark secret.

ST. HELAIRE GETS DECISION OVER SAILOR BYRON

St. Halaire staged a reunion with the Portsmouth fans on Monday evening at Freeman's Hall by getting the decision over Sailor Byron of Worcester, former New England lightweight champion in a gruelling ten round bout in which there was plenty of action.

St. Halaire, always a big favorite here was in great condition and he fought the best fight he has ever fought in this city. He was up against a clever and experienced ring master, as good at fighting as the Somersworth boy, but he could not stand the pace.

In the ninth round St. Halaire had him hanging on the ropes, but he could not put across the sleep producer and the sailor recovered sufficiently in his minute's rest to stave off a knockout in the tenth round, but he was pretty well all in at the finish. Halaire was also pretty tired in the last two rounds, for it had been a tough fight from the opening bell, both men milling it hard and doing a lot of infighting, at which both proved clever.

St. Halaire showed the best form in the first three rounds he has ever shown and looked as though he might terminate the bout at any time. But Byron proved a clever man, who not only knows how to avoid punishment, but when he has to take it, can take a lot. He proved one of the toughest men seen in the ring here in a long time for in the last two rounds St. Halaire hit him with about everything except some of those wild-eyed fans who belong at a bull fight instead of a boxing show.

The entire bill was a good one and there was a big crowd despite the hard traveling, with a large delegation from Dover and Somersworth.

The semi-final was a hummer between Soldier Turcotte of Somersworth and Jerry Moore of Boston. It went to a draw and was a good decision. Moore, possibly outpointed the Somersworth lad, for he is by far the cleverer boxer, but Turcotte was more aggressive and in the last two rounds had a little the better of the going. Moore is a fast and heady fighter and a general favorite with the crowd. There is no gainsaying the fact that Turcotte is a willing lad and a glutton for punishment.

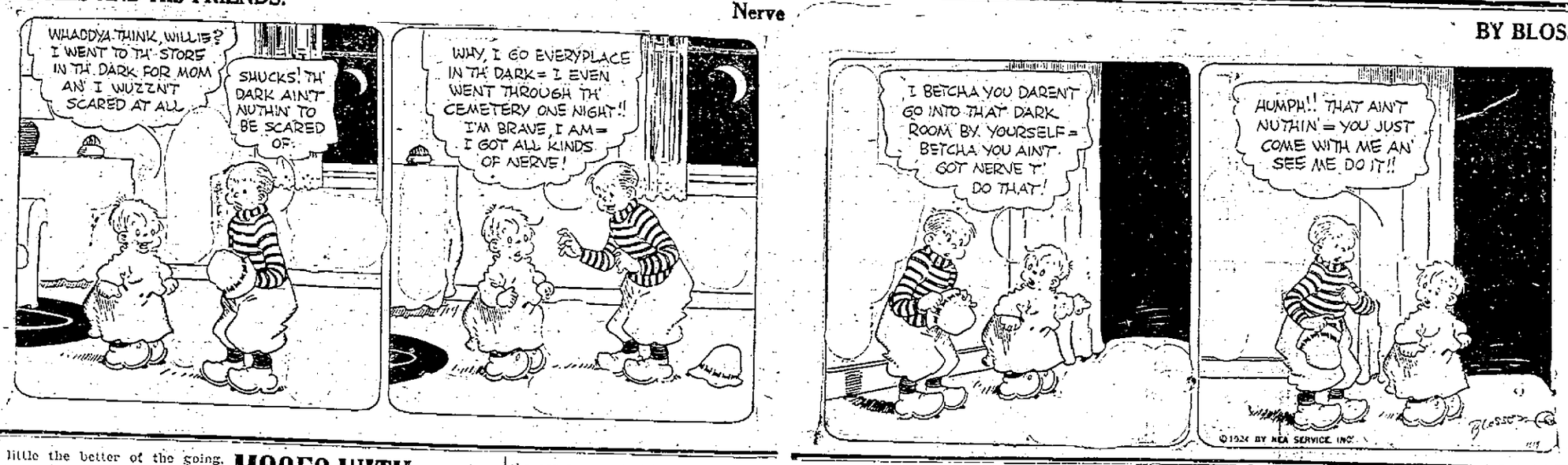
There was a good preliminary in which Young Burnham of Exeter and Young Nault of this city went four rounds. Burnham had the better of the first two rounds, but he was slower in the last round, for he never appears to be in the best of condition. He is a clever boy with a style and punch that could be developed into a high grade boy if he would take the game seriously.

In the opening bout Young O'Neil of this city got the decision over Young Ford.

RYE

Rye, Dec. 2—The Christmas meeting of the Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society of the Christian church will be held at the home of Mrs. Augusta Rand on Thursday afternoon of this week, instead of Wednesday afternoon. Christmas carols will be played on the violin by Mrs. Harlow Parsons of Kittery and Mrs. Joseph Seavey will sing. A Christmas tree for the offerings for Carversville Orphanage and a candle-light service will be on the program. Light refreshments will be served. Automobiles will meet the 2.30 p. m. car at Rye Center.

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS. BY BLOSSER



MOSES WITH SENATE CHIEFS AT WHITE HOUSE

Washington, Dec. 2.—President Coolidge had a breakfast conference yesterday with more than a dozen leaders in the Senate, representative of the several groups on the Republican side. Senator Norris of Nebraska, one of those identified with the La Follette bloc, was present.

Others were Senator Curtis of Kansas, the newly elected majority leader; Borah of Idaho, who is to become chairman of the foreign relations committee; Moses, New Hampshire; Wadsworth, New York; Hale, Maine; Jones, Washington; Sterling, South Dakota; Warren, Wyoming; Spencer, Missouri; McLean, Connecticut; Watson, Indiana; Smoot, Utah, and Cummins, Iowa.

All of these senators are chairmen of the more important Senate committees, including finance, military, naval, commerce, appropriations, banking and postoffices.

The conference was devoted to discussion of the legislative program with no definite conclusions attempted. It was the first of a series of breakfast conferences planned by Mr. Coolidge, and arrangements were made for another meeting with another group of senators today.

House leaders later are to be invited to the White House for similar discussions.

LINEMAN DIES AFTER SHOCK

Brattleboro, Vt., Dec. 2—While assisting in stringing an electric wire for the New England Power company at the company's new dam at Davis bridge in the town of Whitingham about 2 o'clock Monday afternoon, Harold M. Lane, 25, established contact with a wire carrying 66,000 volts of electricity, and died four hours later.

The high voltage line ran over the top of the pole on which he was working and the wire he was handling swung against the live wire. Mr. Lane went to Davis bridge from one of the company's Brattleboro lines about a week ago.

He was one of 13 children of John I. Lane, formerly of Brattleboro, and lived in West Chesterfield, N. H. He leaves a wife and two children.

MANIAC SOUGHT AFTER ATTACKS

Two Ellsworth, Me., Men Are Savagely Battered With Club

Ellsworth, Me., Dec. 2—Police and deputy sheriffs are scouring the city for the man believed to be a maniac, who attaked Herbert R. Holmes, a storekeeper, as he was returning home across a vacant lot. The man struck Holmes with a club or blackjack, breaking Holmes' arm and inflicting cuts on his head. Although Holmes had considerable money with him no attempt was made at robbery.

The man crossed another lot and attacked Millard Okes, a hotel cook, battering his head and knocking him down. Then he ran into the darkness. He made no attempt to rob Oakes.

More than that the assailant was tall and of light complexion, a description is lacking.

MAN KILLED BY 40-FOOT DROP

Woodland, Me., Dec. 2—When a staging, 40 feet from the floor in the machine room of the St. Croix Paper company, gave way, Leo Dawe, 29, a back tender, fell, struck a machine and smashed to the concrete floor. He died four hours later from a compound fracture of the skull. He leaves his wife and three children. Hugh Green, 27, is in the hospital with fractured ribs and internal injuries. A third man, Benjamin Leach, saved himself by clinging to a beam.

WENTWORTH SECOND HIGH

New York, Dec. 2—Recapitulation of Eastern individual football scoring records discloses that Shirley Wentworth, captain and star quarterback of the University of New Hampshire eleven, finished second in the list, with a record of 98 points, only two behind the leader, Benkert of Rutgers.

Previous compilations had placed Wentworth in a tie for fourth place with Koppisch of Columbia, but corrected tabulation of his performances shows he made 13 touchdowns, two field goals and 14 points from tries after touchdown.

SHOT 556 DEER IN SEVEN DAYS IN VERMONT

Montpelier, Vt., Dec. 2—Deer hunters in Vermont have reported to the Fish and Game department the killing of 556 deer in the seven days of this season, or 176 more than in the first seven days of 1923.

William Armstrong of this city reports that a stray bullet, probably fired by a deer hunter, went through the back curtain of his automobile. He was not in the machine at the time, but in the woods hunting.

TO RESUME PASSENGER SERVICE

Portland, Me., Dec. 2—Resumption of passenger service on steamers of the Eastern Steamship lines between this city and New York in the spring of 1925 was announced here Monday by Calvin Austin, the president.

Freight service between this city and Lubec by the same corporation is promised in the spring.

HELD IN $1000 BAIL

Exeter, Dec. 1—Marcel Fornier, 22, who it is alleged was found in the camp of Frank W. Swain at Newfields on the shore of the Swampscott river, near Great Bay, a few days ago was Saturday arraigned in municipal court and pleaded not guilty. The case was prosecuted by County Solicitor Jeremy Waldron and Fornier was held, in default of $1,000 bail, for the grand jury at the January term of Superior court.

DISPEL FEAR OF SEA TRAGEDY

Wreckage at Cuttyhunk Identified By Fish Hawk's Captain

Woods Hole, Mass., Dec. 2—Coast Guard patrols have scanned the beaches of the Elizabeth Islands and Martha's Vineyard since the finding on Sunday of wreckage at Cuttyhunk, believed to represent the loss of a ship, were withdrawn Monday, when the United States Fisheries Commission steamer Fish Hawk reported on arrival here that her decks had been swept by a storm off Cuttyhunk late Saturday night.

The pilot house and logbook discovered on the beach by coast guards were identified as the chart board and the quartermaster's notebook from the Fish Hawk.

The case of medical supplies, bearing the mark of the submarine base at New London and addressed to "Medical Officer, U. S. S. Camden," still was unaccounted for last night, but no importance was attached to that part of the wreckage.

Entries in the notebook, describing the vessel's movements in and about a "navy yard" referred to the Brooklyn navy yard, Capt. Edmund Delavy said, explaining that the Fish Hawk left there Friday. She anchored that night off Faulkners Island, in Long Island Sound, and left her anchorage early Saturday morning, bound here.

When off Cuttyhung Saturday about midnight, buffeted by a westerly gale with wind of 60 miles velocity, the skipper said, the steamer rolled heavily and the chart board and notebook were washed away.

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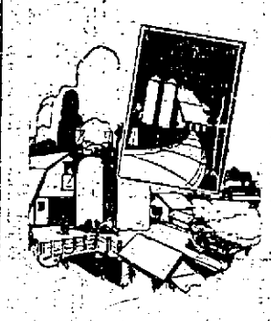

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A PAPER FOR THE PEOPLE

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Portsmouth, N. H., Tuesday, December 2, 1924.

The Road to Dependence

People are living much longer, on the average, than they used to. But are they making provision for comfort and ease in the latter years that modern progress promises them? It does not look so, from figures gathered by President Stone of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers.

Sixty-five is not very old, as ages are reckoned in this new hygienic era. And at 65 most men are "broke" and dependent on others for support.

It is worth while tracing the steps by which they reach this sad plight. Take 100 young men, 25 years old, such as you might count in any American crowd—a cross-section of our society. From that starting point, jump 10 years. At 35, reports Mr. Stone, five will be dead, 10 will be wealthy, 10 will be well-to-do and the other 75 will be self-supporting.

Jump 10 years more. At 45 there will be 84 living of the original 100, four of them wealthy, six well-to-do, 59 self supporting and 15 unable to support themselves.

Another decade, and 80 will be left, of whom only one will be wealthy, four will be well-to-do, 45 self supporting and 30 non-supporting.

Then at 65, when 64 of the original 100 will be still living, there will be one wealth, three well-to-do, six of the rest self-supporting and 54 "dependent on others for the rest of their lives."

It is not a cheerful prospect for the majority. And in most cases, undoubtedly, the lapse from modest self-support or comfort or actual wealth is unnecessary. Most of the 100 might have a pleasanter last chapter if they spent their best years more energetically, intelligently and thriftily.

The problem is to educate men and women so that they will earn more, and then get them to save more of their earnings.

Labor Against Child Labor

The Federation of Labor has started a vigorous campaign in behalf of the child labor amendment to the federal constitution. It will urge favorable action in all the states whose legislatures meet this winter, and asks "every justice-loving man and woman" to help.

At the present time James O'Connell points out, "there are more than 1,000,000 children between the ages of 10 and 15 years earning wages in this country. About 400,000 of these are between the ages of 10 and 13."

He does not include, of course, the children doing necessary and for the most part wholesome chores on the farm, who were never intended to be affected by the amendment, in spite of some farmers' fears on that score.

The efforts of organized labor should prove more effective in this reform than those of any other organized group of citizens, because it means to so large an extent wage-earners themselves renouncing the wages of their own children. Unorganized workmen often feel differently about it; but they might well follow such leadership.

Original Serlio Drawings

A volume of original and unpublished architectural drawings by Sebastiano Serlio, a Renaissance master, has been acquired by Columbia University for the Avery Architectural Library. It is apparent that the 73 drawings were executed between 1541 and 1551. Each is accompanied by a descriptive text in the author's own hand. At the time of Serlio's death, in 1554, the volume was ready for publication, and now, after 370 years, publication promises to be an event of the near future.

Serlio was the leading pupil and heir of Peruzzi, who had been Raphel's collaborator in the erection of St. Peter's in Rome, from Bramante's designs, and after 1541 was royal architect for Francis I of France.

Drawings of this character exist in many of the great European repositories of architectural materials, but hitherto no such important matter seems to have reached this country.

Souvenir Hunters

The mania for collecting odds and ends of useless things as souvenirs is so common as to seem almost universal. Scenes of crime, wreck and disaster are literally hacked to pieces by this pernicious habit. The beauty of buildings is marred and defaced. Trees are stripped to the bare trunk and that also whittled to an unrecognizable stick.

It is difficult to analyze the processes of the minds that conceived and execute these needless, profitless outrages. Hotel keepers must keep a vigilant eye upon their guests to keep them from carrying away the very furnishings, to say nothing of the silver.

Even in the hallowed precincts of the Carnegie Peace Palace some such vandal has purloined the presidential hammer, artistically carved of ebony and presented to the court by the Senate of Leyden in 1922.

What still-operators need is the jug, if you get what we mean.

R. G. SULLIVAN'S MEMORY IS HONORED

Manchester, Dec. 2.—Industrial Manchester is paying tribute today to the memory of R. G. Sullivan, founder of the 7-20-4 cigar.

The story of Roger G. Sullivan is a story of American opportunity improved to the full. He was born in Bradford, Dec. 18, 1854, but removed with his parents to Manchester when a child, and in this city built up the business which brought him success and has made Manchester famous wherever cigars are smoked.

In December, 1874, at the age of 19, Roger Sullivan hired a small store and one cigarmaker and began the manufacture and sale of cigars. Later he located at 724 Elm street, Manchester. From the street number of this store, 724, the 7-20-4 cigar derived its name.

Since 1874 the business has outgrown six factories and now occupies one of the largest and most hygienic cigar factories in the world. More than 1500 men and women are employed, with an annual payroll of over two million dollars.

ROGER G. SULLIVAN

Some idea of the magnitude of this business can be realized in the statement that in 1923 the firm of R. G. Sullivan paid the United States government $2,225,000 for import and stamp taxes alone. A recent purchase of Havana tobacco amounted to $1,400,000.

This phenomenal growth was due to the sagacious judgment of Mr. Sullivan. He was habitually affable in manner, considerate and charitable, and his friendly personality made friends of all who knew him.

Notwithstanding its enormous growth, the entire business was owned by Mr. Sullivan until his death, July 13, 1918. Since then it has been and is now owned and operated exclusively by his family.

MAKES REPORT OF ACTIVITIES

The regular meeting of the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce occurred yesterday noon at the Rockingham hotel. Routine business was transacted. A committee was appointed consisting of President Charles W. Gray, Edward H. Voudy and Managing Secretary Lee Brow to make all arrangements for the proposed benefit entertainment, the proceeds of which are to be used to purchase the needy articles of clothing etc., for the poor children of the city.

Managing Secretary Brow presented a quarterly report to the board of directors, which was in part as follows:

Three months of service to the Portsmouth Chamber of Commerce having passed, it is my desire to make a formal report of the activities engaging the attention of the organization during this period, and to inform you of some of the personal activities of the managing secretary.

When I tok up my duties early in September I was profoundly impressed with the record of achievements particularly during the last year and a half by your Chamber of Commerce. I was also impressed as I gradually came in contact with the people of this community of a startling lack of appreciation of what the organization is doing and has done. I have found no strong anamosities against the chamber, but I have found definite signs of a lack of proper understanding of the functions of a Chamber of Commerce and a consequent lack of appreciation of what the Portsmouth chamber is doing.

Having some acquaintance with the Chamber of Commerce field at large and having had opportunity to enjoy intimate relations with the local chamber, I have no hesitancy in saying that the accomplishments of the Portsmouth Chamber of Commerce are far and away in advance of most cities of this size. Therefore, I have made special study of the activities of this chamber and find myself strongly of the opinion that before the Portsmouth Chamber can enjoy its largest membership possibilities and its maximum appreciation of the surrounding communities at large, the Chamber of Commerce ideal must be definitely sold to the peiple.

In accordance with this belief it is my intention with your approval to continue the program of Chamber of Commerce publicity in the public press and by use of the stereopticon lantern throughout the winter months. Already a start has been made and the the results have already justified the effort. Where our lectures on "Keeping Step With Progress" illustrated by more than eighty slides has been presented scores of people have confessed their utter ignorance up to that moment of the real function of a Chamber of Commerce.

It has been my extreme pleasure to meet personally nearly 200 members of the chamber. It is my purpose to make the acquaintance of every member as rapidly as possible. It has also been a source of much pleasure to meet hundreds of other people in the community, not now members of the organization.

During this three months through the co-operation of the officers and directors we have practically brought to completion the construction of a program of work to engage the attention of the members during the ensuing Chamber of Commerce year.

We have placed an order for an electrically operated addressograph machine and have begun the work of building a list of names of five thousand families in Portsmouth and vicinity to be used in connection with this addressograph machine.

In accordance with the educational program we have decided to form a flying squadron, this squadron to represent Portsmouth in putting on community entertainments in the surrounding towns and to spread Portsmouth propaganda wherever possible. A decision has been made to organize within the chamber an up-to-date and efficient credit reporting bureau.

Decision has been made and work is now under way of the making of a new map of the city of Portsmouth, including its proper suburbs.

Plans have been started for the securing of a municipal aviation field. The Chamber of Commerce has participated in National Education Week. A comprehensive Fire Prevention Week program was conducted under the auspices of the chamber. A vast amount of routine office detail has been cared for in the daily round of office duty.

During the quarter just closed your managing secretary has addressed 21 different audiences and in most of these talks has tried to hold up the the Chamber of Commerce ideal to the best of his ability. He has four additional engagements to which he has been invited to speak, representing the Portsmouth Chamber of Commerce.

PEOPLE'S OPINIONS

Advocate of Single Tax

Editor of The Herald:

It seems to me very strange that in the United States there has appeared no staunch advocate of the single tax. I have been giving the subject considerable thought lately, and am firmly convinced that the single tax is the only satisfactory solution of the tax question, both state and national. Its advantages would be its simplicity and the ease and certainty of its collection. If there are any other of your readers who are in favor of the single tax system, I would be pleased to hear from them and I should also be pleased to debate the subject with any and all opponents of the doctrine.

Very truly yours,

John P. H. Chandler.

32 Miller Ave., city.

Courtesy for Visitors

Editor of The Herald:—In the field of sport it is customary to show all courtesy to visiting players and when a team comes to our city it is and always has been the rule to extend to them the best facilities available.

Last night this unwritten law was broken by a number of people, backed and agitated by one man.

The opinion which the visiting team carried away with them is hard to determine; they are too good sportsmen to voice their opinion while enjoying the hospitality of our city.

The refusal of the team to give up Nos. 1 and 2 alleys to the Biddeford team shows a total disregard for the rules of good sportsmanship, which was reflected in the talk of the fans who witnessed the incident.

JACK HANLON,

Manager of the Undefeated City Five

OBITUARY

John Donnell

The death of John Donnell a well known resident of this city occurred Monday afternoon at the home of his niece, Mrs. Edward A. Weeks, No. 232 Deer street. Mr. Donnell was a native of York but had resided in this city since early childhood. He was born December 17, 1847, the son of Francis and Caroline Rand (Mason) Donnell, and is survived by two nieces, Mrs. Edward A. Weeks with whom he resided, and Mrs. Chris Newton of Albany, N. Y., also two nephews, George A. Rice of Waltham, Mass., and William K. Rice of Great Barrington, Mass.

Mr. Donnell was connected with the Maintainance of Way Department of the B. & M. R. R. and had been employed by the B. & M. for a period of fifty years

SERIOUS FIRE AT WOODSVILLE

Early Morning Blaze Destroys Hotel, Church, Theatre and Other Buildings

(By Associated Press)

Woodsville, Dec. 2.—Woodsville was visited this morning by a disastrous fire which caused damage estimated at $100,000. The blaze started in a ticket office of a motion picture theatre and before gotten under control destroyed the theatre, a hotel, church, several stores and dwelling houses.

REDUCTION IN COST OF GOVERNMENT

(By Associated Press)

Washington, Dec. 2.—The cost of running the Federal government in the fiscal year 1926 was fixed by President Coolidge today at $3,729,519,846.48 or a reduction of $59,225,931.72 from the estimated expenditures of the current year.

TWO KILLED AT MANCHESTER

Manchester, Dec. 2—A man and a little girl, both of Massachusetts are dead as the result of injuries received in separate motor accidents. Both accidents were caused Saturday by the heavy, wet snow slinging to windshields.

The dead are Elizabeth M. Cramwell, 7, of Chelsea, Mass., and James W. Gould of Lowell, Mass.

The man was killed when his son, Fernald L. Gould stopped the automobile in Suncook so that the father could wipe off the windshield. He was struck by an electric car, receiving a deep gash in the forehead.

The girl was riding in an automobile operated by Biron Brown of Candia, when the machine came in collision with a car said to have been driven by Frank W. Sargent, chairman of the Manchester police board.

Before the Lowell man had reached Notre Dame hospital, he was dead, but the girl lived for several hours. Accidental death was yesterday reported in each case by Medical Referee James J. Powers.

It is reported that the Sargeant and Cromwell cars both skidded at the same time and stopped together.

NEWS OF THE NAVY AND NAVY YARDS

Will Be Detached

Chief Boatswain Anderson will be detached from this yard on Dec. 10 and will report on the U. S. S. Trenton.

On Inspection Trip

Timber Inspector Harris left today for an inspection trip to Van Buren, Me., and Canadian points.

Returns to Work

Robert T. Staples of Eliot who was injured while at work some time ago, resumed his duties at the yard on Monday.

On Hunting Trip

Capt. Russell, U. S. M. C. leaves tomorrow on a hunting trip.

Pay Day at Barracks

Monday was pay day at the Marine Barracks.

Lost

LOST—Between Naval Prison and Administration Building, 1 Ford tire chain. Finder please call at yard dispensary and match the owner for both chains. 1t d2

CHRISTMAS SALE

Rivermouth Chapter, O. E. S., Conducts Successful Affair

Rivermouth Chapter, Eastern Star, held a Christmas sale at the hall of New Hampshire lodge in Freeman's block Monday afternoon and evening which was well patronized. A musical program in the evening, in charge of Hans P. Berna, gave the affair added interest. The hall was prettily decorated with pine boughs and red berries, red and green crepe paper and Christmas bells. Home-cooked food, candy, fancy work and aprons were on sale.

The following had charge of the tables:

Fancy work—Mrs. Fred Sanborn, Mrs. Fred Coleman, Mrs. Walter Cole, Mrs. Herbert Drew, Mrs. Edward Drew, Mrs. Eldred Marshall.

Candy—Mrs. Willis Tebbetts, Mrs. G. Victor Boss, Mrs. James Pettigrew, Misses Sarah Ham and Mabel Little.

Aprons—Mrs. Fred Caswell, Mrs. John C. Durgin, Mrs. Henry Grigg, Mrs. Frank McMahon.

Food—Mrs. John Parkhurst, Mrs. Henry Gerrish, Mrs. T. Herbert Perkins, Mrs. Joseph Keene, Mrs. John Wright.

Mystery tree—Mrs. Harold Littlefield, Mrs. Robert Gilker, Mrs. Jessie Codding, Mrs. Steele, Miss Ruth Yeaton.

Ice cream—Mrs. Emma K. Rolfe, Mrs. Margaret Juneau, Mrs. Willard Jenness, Miss Bertha Hunt.

PERSONALS

P. E. Kane of The Herald staff is a member of a party touring Bermuda.

Mr. and Mrs. John Brown, Mrs. John Ela and daughter, Daisy, and Mrs. Christian Jensen of East Gloucester, Mass., were recent guests of Mrs. Linda Frazier of Brewster street.

Attorney George F. Huges was a visitor in Portsmouth today.

Miss Pauline Taylor has returned to Exeter after passing a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Taylor of State street.

William M. Sanborn and daughter, Miss Maude Sanborn, of Wibird street, Miss Mary O. Hammond and Mrs. William Linwood Fernald of Eliot were in Boston Sunday to attend the funeral of Dr. Walter E. Fernald, superintendent of the Massachusetts School for the Feeble-Minded at Waverly, Mass. Mrs. Sanborn, who was called to Boston last week by the critical illness of her brother, returned home with them.

Miss Betty Best of New York passed the holiday and week end as the guest of Miss Olive Gardiner of State street.

Miss Ruth Twombly, who passed the holiday recess at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Twombly of Cass street, returned on Monday to Keene, where she teaches school.

Miss Florence Marston has returned to Exeter after the holiday and week end visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Marston of State street.

Mrs. Ann Shackford has returned from Washington and is now at the Rockingham.

Lieut. Comdr. W. B. Hatch and Mrs. Hatch of Quantico have been enjoying a vacation in Boston and Portsmouth.

Mrs. Samuel Dodge who passed Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Herman L. Dodge of Wellesley Hills, has returned to 438 State St.

OBSEQUIES

Miss Myra F. Bickford

The funeral of Myra Fernald Bickford was held at the Congregational church in New Castle at 2.30 o'clock Monday afternoon.

Rev. N. Harlan Scott, pastor of the church conducted the services and Miss Keith Bickford, accompanied by Miss Niola Noyes, rendered two violin selections: "Lead Kindly Light" and "At the End of a Perfect Day."

Messrs. Leslie Bickford, Frank Bickford, Emerson Locke and W. S. Abbott were the pall bearers. The interment was in the family lot in River side cemetery under the direction of J. Verne Wood.

DISCUSS NAVY YARD EXPANSION

Washington, Dec. 2—Ex-Mayor F. W. Hartford of Portsmouth, N. H., and Congressman Wason were in conference yesterday with Senators Moses and Keyes in reference to navy yard expansion.

CANDIDATE FOR CITY COUNCIL

The Democratic city committee has named Ichabod H. Williams as a candidate for the city council from Ward 4 in the place of William R. Hoyne who declined the nomination.

BALL-LEAVITT

Miss Irene Leavitt clerk at the Woolworth store in this city, and Ralph Ball of South Berwick, machinist at the navy yard, were married Sunday at South Berwick. The bride was dressed in a brown and blue georgettet dress trimmed with fur. After a wedding trip to Boston and New York they will reside on Hanover street.

SUBSCRIBING FOR STOCK

Papers are being passed for signatures of those desiring to take stock in the proposition to buy the section of the P. D. and Y. Street Railway from Kennard's Corner to Sea Point.

The sidewalks are very slippery in some places and people should watch their step. Some of the big icicles which have formed since the storm are liable to fall and should be removed.

It is a sorry looking sight between this city and Newburyport with the wrecked wires and trees felled by the storm.

A lady received a bad shaking up by falling on the ice on Market street early last evening.

It is not too late to buy your Fall Hat

Mallory Hats

$5.00 to $5.50

Sweaters

In all styles and colors

$3.00 to $10.00

Gloves

For the cold days. Lined or unlined

$1.75 to $5.00

Hosiery

In cotton, wool, or silk and wool

25c to $1.50

Odd lots of Sweaters to go at cost.

We Sell to Sell Again

Parsons' The Hatter

49 Congress St.

Shop Here

HAS CONFIDENCE OF THE PEOPLE

(By Associated Press)

London, Dec. 2.—Reports received in official quarters in London are declared to have given the impression there that new Egyptian government has gained confidence of the people, advices indicating also that order has been restored in Egypt and that Sudan is entirely under control of British authorities.

CHIMNEY FIRE

The chemical was called to Greenland this noon by a chimney fire at the residence of Charles Hussey. But little damage was caused.

In the Gift Guessing Contest the Best Result is a TIE

A man always expects a TIE in his Christmas Stocking. The one you give him he'll take pride and pleasure in, if it is selected from the unusual variety you'll find here for gift giving purposes. They're the kind of TIES that he'd pick for himself—No extreme patterns; we never have that kind—

KNIT TIES..... 50c to $1.50

CUT SILKS..... 50c to $2.00

SILK & WOOL TIES..... $1.00

CHENEY TIES..... 75c to 95c

WEARPLUS TIES..... $1.00

BOYS' TIES.....25c, 35c & 50c

TIES ARE BOXED FREE

GIVE HIM A TIE HE LIKES

Useful Gifts Make the Happiest Christmas

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VERDICT REACHED IN TEN MINUTES

Superior Court Jury Decides for Local Physician in Suit for Bill

After being out 10 minutes the jury in Superior court in the suit brought by Dr. Wendell P. Clare against the Manchester Rendering Co. of Manchester, which operates a plant here under the name of the Portsmouth Tallow Co., returned with a verdict yesterday afternoon for the plaintiff, giving him the full amount of the bill, with interest.

The case opened yesterday when court was resumed after the Thanksgiving recess. The jury drawn was as follows: Charles F. Marden, C. Charles Hayes, George A. Bennett, Frank Blaisdell, Nathan F. Amee, William J. Merrifield, Henry D. Miller, Elmer J. Bailey, Charles H. Amhoff, Fred Amazeen, William Woods and William Casey.

Attorney Samuel W. Emery represented the plaintiff and Attorney George J. Haselton of Manchester represented the defendant.

Dr. Clare, the first witness called to the stand, testified that Albert F. Doll, employed by the Portsmouth Tallow Co., came to his office for medical treatment on June 7, 1923, and that at that time he had an infection starting on the third finger of his left hand, resulting from a scratch, probably from a bone of some sort. He said he was engaged by Mr. Page, manager of the Portsmouth Tallow Co., in behalf of the Manchester Rendering Co.. The witness asserted that the infection spread to the back of the hand and then to the forearm and that daily treatment was necessary, including three operations, until the time he was discharged from the hospital, July 21, 1923. After his discharge from the hospital Dr. Clare said that Mr. Doll required treatment until Oct. 11, 1923, when he was declared cured. He further said that Dr. Hazzard assisted him in the operations.

In answer to a question Dr. Clare stated that he rendered a bill to the Manchester Rendering Co. and that he received a letter requesting that he send them an itemized bill, this procedure being necessary before the bill could be paid. The witness said he did as requested but he never heard from them. He asserted that he wrote them again and received a reply that he had no occasion to be alarmed about the payment of the bill.

Later, Dr. Clare said, Mr. Vail, manager of the Manchester Rendering Co., and Mr. Page, manager of the Portsmouth Tallow Co., called at his office and Mr. Vail asked why such a bill was justified. After an explanation, the witness said, Mr. Vail seemed convinced that the bill didn't seem as exorbitant as when first received and said he would go back and explain it to his firm as it had been explained to him. At a later date, Dr. Clare said, he received a letter from the Manchester Rendering Co., in which it agreed to settle for $380, considering the bill of $594 excessive. Following the receipt of this letter, the witness state, he brought suit to recover for services rendered Albert F. Doll.

In cross-examination Dr. Clare declared that the nature of the patient's trouble was blood-poisoning, developing into septicemia, and that it was caused by a germ, and that it might develop even with treatment to offset it. In answer to a question he said he aked Mr. Page who was going to pay for the treatment.

Albert F. Doll, after taking the witness stand, testified that he received a scratch on the third finger of his left hand, caused by a piece of bone from a dead horse being thrown into a wagon by a fellow employe. He said that it didn't bother him until some time later, June 2, and that he went to Dr. Clare's office with Mr. Page. On June 12, he said, he went to the hospital for treatment. While at the hospital, he said, he had three operations and daily treatment until he was discharged.

Dr. Lawrence R. Hazzard, the final witness for the plaintiff, testified that he assisted Dr. Clare in the operations performed on Mr. Doll and that operations of this kind were very dangerous, it being possible for a doctor to die from the prick of a needle or the cut of a knife while operating. In answer to a question the witness asserted that the fee charged was the standard fee throughout the country.

Raymond Page, manager of the Portsmouth Tallow company, the first witness for the defense, testified that he knew Mr. Doll received a scratch on his finger and that Doll afterwards went to Dr. Clare's office but that he did not send him. The witness said that he telephoned Mr. Vail, manager of the Manchester Rendering Co., asking him if the company would assume the responsibility for the bill at the hospital, the reply being that it later he told Dr. Clare he could make would. Mr. Page further said that out his bill to the Portsmouth Tallow Co., he doing so on his own responsibility, being of the opinion that the Manchester Rendering Co., having assumed the hospital bill, would also pay the doctor's bill.

Edward J. Vail, manager of the Manchestering Rendering Co., testified that he never knew of a man being infected as Mr. Doll was from handling dead horses. He further asserted that Mr. Page said Mr. Doll was going to the hospital and that he authorized the payment of the hospital bill but never authorized the payment of the bill for medical treatment.

This concluded the testimony in the case and after pleas to the jury by the attorneys and instruction by Judge Marble, the jury retired.

STATE ASSESSORS WILL MEET AT MANCHESTER

An unusually interesting program will be presented at the 14th annual meeting of the Association of New Hampshire Assessors to be held at City Hall, Manchester, Wednesday and Thursday.

Some of the most prominent speakers in New England on tax questions have accepted invitations to attend. There will be morning and afternoon sessions and a banquet at The Carpenter Wednesday evening.

Two hundred assessors, tax collectors, clerks and treasurers are expected to attend.

The officers of the association are: President, Eugene D. Sanborn, Fremont; first vice president, John S. Childs, Hillsborough; second vice president, Fred L. Rollins, Laconia; treasurer, John Yarwood, Portsmouth; secretary, William P. Farmer, Manchester; executive committee, George A. Worcester, Milford; Frank M. Ayer, Alton, W. A. Hodgdon, Berlin; James S. Chamberlin, Durham; J. E. A. Bilodeau, Rochester; B. O. Prescott, Claremont.

The program follows:

Wednesday, 11 a. m.

Business session:

Call to order.

Reading records of last annual session.

Reading report of treasurer.

Reading report of executive committee.

Reading report of legislative committee.

Introduction of resolutions.

Unfinished business.

New business includes election of officers.

A special session will be held in the council chamber at City hall at 2 p. m. W. E. Hunt, president; Martha Johnson, secretary.

Wednesday, 2 p. m.

The trend of taxation in New Hampshire. Response, John A. Amey, state tax commissioner.

The viewpoint of an assessor in the field. Response, E. E. Woodbury, Woodstock.

Motor vehicles, taxation of gasoline, general discussion. Response, John F. Griffin, automobile commissioner.

Taxation of timber land. Response, Robert R. Bass, Concord.

Some phases of taxation and how they affect the farmer. Response, George M. Putnam, president of Farm Bureau federation.

Uniting our efforts. Response, Andrew L. Felker, state commissioner of agriculture.

Recess.

Wednesday, 7 p. m.

Banquet at The Carpenter.

Gather at the hotel, 6:30 to 7 o'clock p. m.

Tickets secured at assessors' office during the day, evening at the hotel office. Admittance to banquet by ticket only. Regular meeting held in banquet hall. Speeches and community singing.

Program

March to banquet, invocation, response "Taxation in General." Response, Henry B. Gardenr, professor of economics, Brown university, Providence, R. I.

"The N. T. A. Committee's Report on Highway Finance." Response, Thornton Alexander, solicitor, B. & M. R. R. corp.

"Rational Taxation." Response by Paul M. Moyer, editorial writer, Providence Journal, Providence, R. I.

"Considerations that Enter into the Valuations of Real Estate for Purposes of Taxation." Response by Edward L. Leahy, Providence, R. I., member of board of state tax commission.

"Recent Developments in Concrete." Illustrated by interesting and instructive moving pictures. Response W. A. Rowell, service engineer, Lakeport.

Closing.

Sing of community and patriotic songs.

Thursday at 9 a. m.

Report of tax collectors meeting and needed legislation. Response, Woodbury E. Hunt, collector, Concord.

"The Tax Law on Intangibles, its Administration and the Results." Response, John G. Marston, director, Concord.

"The Inheritance Tax." Response, Joseph H. Mathews, assistant attorney general, Concord.

"Stocks in Trade, How to Determine the Value, Concrete Examples." Response, Accountant Lawrence Whittemore, Penacook.

"N. H. Taxation, the Year's Work." Response, Fletcher Hale, state tax commissioner.

Fifth session:

Round table talk. Fletcher Hale. John T. Amey in charge.

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SURPRISE PARTY

Miss Beatrice Healey Receives Unexpected Call From Friends on Birthday

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Witham on Peverly Hill Road Monday evening a surprise party was given for Miss Beatrice Healey in recognition of her seventeenth birthday and a party of her friends, including a number from out of town, gathered and made merry throughout the evening. The rooms were decorated with Japanese lanterns and red and green crepe paper, the Christmas colors, and the dining room table had adornings of candles in the colors of the Yule-tide season. Games and dancing made the time pass all too quickly and a lunch of chicken sandwiches, assorted cake, ice cream and cocoa was served. The handsome birthday cake was beautified with seventeen candles and it was cut by the hostess and distributed to her guests. Paul Spinney, in behalf of the company, presented the hostess with a fountain pen. She also received numerous other gifts and was much pleased. At a late hour all left for home having enjoyed the occasion to the fullest extent.

IS NATIVE PRINCESS

Miss Helen McKenna is changing her nationality for two weeks. "Bimbo" has brought about the change. There had to be a native Princess in "Bimbo" and Miss McKenna was elected for this position and was crowned Princess Lillikoya. As a temperamental, high-strung, south sea islander Miss McKenna adds much color and variety to the scene of action. She has become infatuated with the Governor ("Bo" Garland) and her ignorance of American customes along the lines of courtship, will furnish the audience much amusement.

The Princess is not bashful about expressing her love or urging her suit. In Bimbo when one gives a scarlet poppy to one of the opposite sex they are legally married, so Lilly is never without a poppy in hopes that she can somehow manage to get it in the Governor's button hole. Think what a saving of diamonds this custom is!

When you see the Princess you will wonder at the Governor's hard hearted ness for she makes a most lovely native product. Some of her subjects are the South Sea Island Belles and in her song and dance number "Bimbo Land" these Belles help her wring from the audience much applause.

Margaret Parker, Beatrice Shaw, Edith Littlefield, Fannie Parker, Hazel Parker and Geneva Morton make up this chorus.

NOTICE

The Special Correspondents of Boston papers, under date of November 30th, has made the statement that I am a Klan candidate for the School Board at the coming city election.

I wish to state to the citizens of Portsmouth that I was nominated for that office by the Republican voters of the city.

In answer to persistent rumors for many months past, I wish to state that I have never been, and am not now a member of the Klan, and have absolutely no connection with that organization.

I desire to state that I am emphatically opposed to the injection of party politics into the School Board, and should the voters elect me to that office in the coming city election, I promise to serve faithfully all the citizens to the best of my ability, regardless of politics, creed or color.

JOHN W. HOPLEY.

MAL HALLETT'S BROADWAY ORCHESTRA NEXT TUESDAY

Oh Boy! They're coming back, and every indication points to the fact that the largest assembly of dancers and music lovers who ever thronged a local ballroom will be on hand to greet them.

The enthusiasm among the dancers since the bands last appearance here, easily proves that this team made the biggest overnight hit of any musical attraction which ever played here, and all predictions are that Freeman's Hall will be taxed to its utmost capacity early next Tuesday evening.

WINTER FESTIVAL

The winter festival given under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Bethany church of Rye will be held at the Rye Town Hall on Wednesday, Dec. 3. An entertainment by the children will be given at 3 p. m. Fancy articles, home made candy, food and mystery packages will be on sale. Supper served from 5.30 to 7.30. The drama "Teddy, or the Runaways" will be given at 7.45. 1t d2

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STORES WILL REMAIN OPEN

The Merchants' Bureau of the Chamber of Commerce announced this morning thatthe stores in accordance with a vote taken some time ago by the merchants would remain open on Wednesday afternoons during the month of December. This will give further opportunity for people of Portsmouth and vicinity to do their Christmas shopping.

35 OUT FOR HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL

The High school basketball candidates reported on Monday afternoon to Coach Rice at the High school and there were 35 who promised to come out for the team. Included in this number are all of last year's regulars and substitutes and many who made a good showing in their class teams.

Practice will begin on Wednesday at Freeman's hall and all the home games will be played on Saturday evening.

KNIGHTS WIN IN CLOSE CONTEST

The Knights of Columbus bowling team defeated the West End Five at the West End alleys last night by six pins. Connell was high man with 277, while E. Grady led the losers with 273. The scores:

Knights of Columbus

Brooks	76	73	78	227
Connell	93	95	89	277
Heffernan	97	77	83	257
P. Grady	100	89	80	269
Quirk	99	76	86	261
	465	410	416	1291

West End Five

M. Grady	80	84	79	243
Langdon	100	97	69	266
Buckley	80	82	77	239
E. Grady	87	85	101	273
Reckendorff	94	88	82	264
	441	436	408	1285

YORK PASTOR PRESENTS PAPER

Rev. Albert Scott Hawkes, pastor of the Congregational church, York, presented the paper at the monthly meeting of the Ministerial Association of this city and vicinity held in the parlor of the Y. W. C. A. House on Monday forenoon. His topic was "The Use of the Fine Arts in Religion" and he told of the value of pictures as illustrations in religious services, speaking principally of the great masters of art. Rev. Mr. Hawkes took up the study of art at the School of Religious Education, Boston University, and has a class of over 30 in art in York.

The attendance at the meeting was somewhat less than usual. After the paper had concluded there was an interesting discussion. A lunch followed in the "Y" cafeteria.

NATIONAL GUARD FORUM OF PUBLIC OPINION IN DEFENSE

Philadelphia, Dec. 1—The national guard was pictured as the first line of defense "in the form of public opinion" on questions relating to the national defense policy of th ecountry in an address here today by Secretary Weeks at the convention of the National Guard Association.

The secretary urged officials of the organization and members of the national guard to use their influence for the preservation of the "balanced military policy" worked out in the national defense act and to defend the regular army from "chronic attack", through which attempts were made to reduce its strength year by year, and thus cripple its efficiency.

"If there is no regular army or if that component (of the army of the United States) has been sapped by a long period of inadequate appropriations, until it is insufficient for such a task, (holding the first line of defense,) the secretary pointed out, "the hastily expanded national guard will have to take the regular army's place in the front line and act as the covering force for the mobilization of the manpower of the country.

"Then the officers and men of the guard will become the innocent sacrifices which the United States offers for failing to carry out its primary duty of insuring its own defense.

"This sacrifice can be avoided if the wise provisions of the national defense act of 1920 are carried into execution and if each component of the army of the United States is properly trained for its particular mission as a member of a balanced machine. Therefore, I say to you that the preservation of a balanced military policy is as vital for you as it is any member of the army of the United States; and I further say that your opportunity to influence public opinion in behalf of the preservation of such a force makes you, from a political standpoint, the natural first line of guardians in the forum of public opinion of the existing military policy of the country.

"I would not have you think that the regular army is to be subjected to any acute attack. An acute attack can be met and usually repulsed. It is the chronic attack, attempts to lop off 2000 men this year and 3000 men the next, which may weaken the regular army.

"If the executive branch of the government is to convince the country and congress of the wisdom of proposals affecting the regular army, the civilian components of the army, forgetting if need be, their own immediate necessities, must undertake to educate public opinion in favor of such proposals. That influence your association should help to exert."

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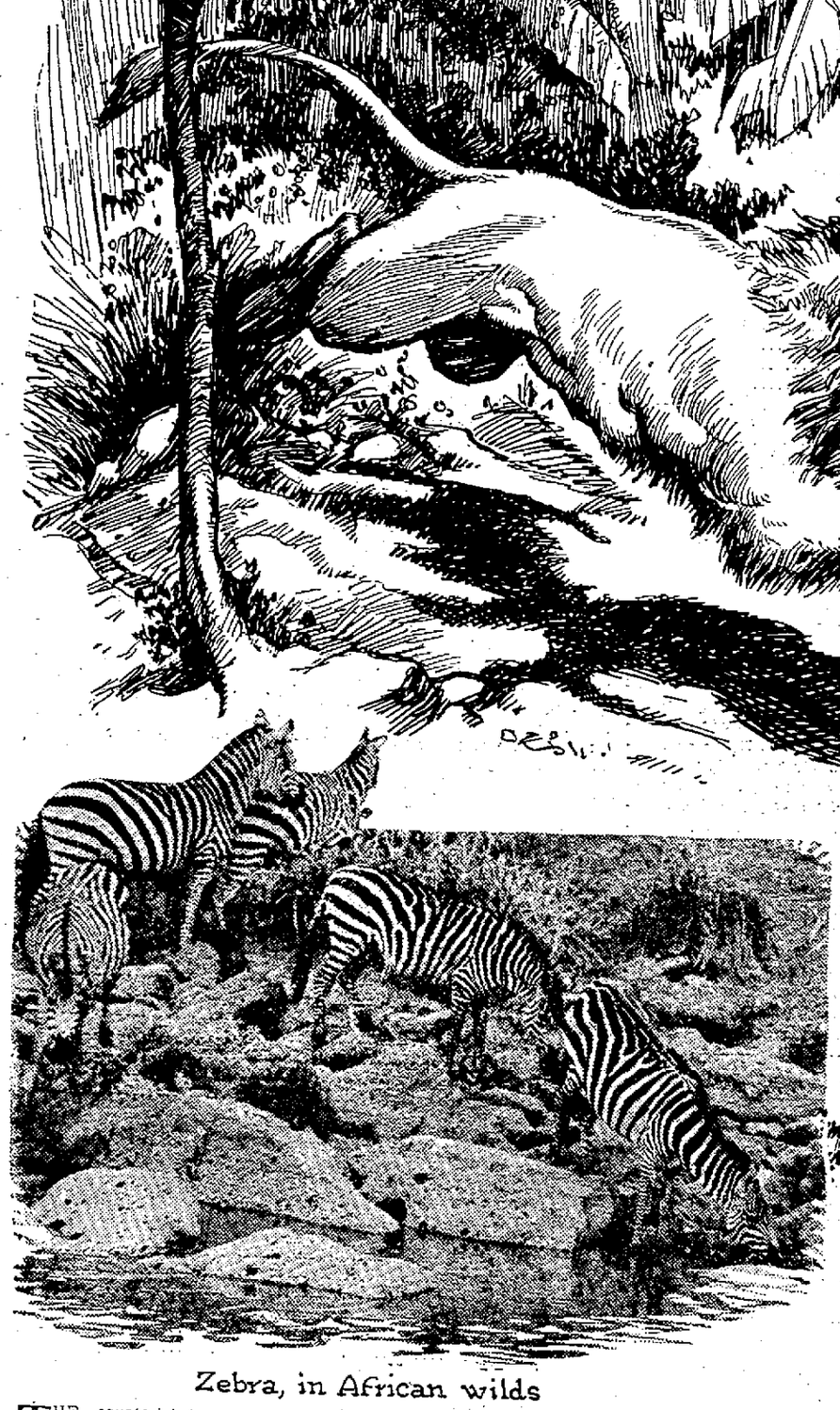
A Leopard Meets It's Doom



Zebra, in African wilds

A.J. Klein and one of his victims

Photos © by A.J. Klein

THE equatorial sun bored through thick branches of baobab and acacia trees, routed the darkness and the night mists and parched the tongue of a naked, half-dead savage.

Feverishly the man tossed on his bed of leaves and hard earth. With limp hands he brushed at an arrow which had made a flesh wound in his breast and scattered its poison through his veins.

Around him lay the bodies of three companions. Each suggested a shiny black pincushion, with several arrows like magnified pins standing out at different angles. Scattered about were their own weapons, the charred wood of their fire and a few gnawed zebra bones left from last night's meal.

Broken was the thornbush boma or improvised barrier around the camp. It had proved a futile precaution against the thieves who shot them as they slept and drove off the cattle of which the four had been the herdsmen.

Here was typical mystery of the Dark Continent: fierce robbery and murder by night, and in the morning only surrounding silence and superstitious natives and jungle.

TALES OF CRUELTY

The baffling story told itself plainly enough to A. J. Klein. It was simply another addition to Africa's ancient roster of untraced cruelties upon people who did not matter. Life is cheap in Africa, and the law is a far-off myth. Yet as Klein tells the complete story, it becomes a modern Sherlock Holmes tale with the white man's justice triumphant.

Klein happens to be one of Africa's most famous hunters, with 88 lions to his credit, and 14 years continuous adventuring in jungle and desert. He is back home in America now for a few months' visit, spending most of his time at the American Museum of Natural History in New York. He has accumulated a vast store of yarns, if one can induce him to tell them.

"I was on 'safari' or what you would call simply a cross-country journey, when we ran into that scene of murder," Klein says.

"These natives were camped with their drove of cattle at the junction of the Tana and Thika Rivers. I was camped across the river from them and had seen their fire the night before. When I went forward the next morning I crossed the river and discovered what had happened.

"The first thing to do was to try and save the wounded man's life. We poured in antiseptics and wrapped him up, and he pulled through. The single arrow that hit him must not have been heavily poisoned.

CLEWS! LIKE FINGER-PRINTS

"The natives get their poison by boiling for a long time the wood of a shrub which resembles heliotrope. The process finally produces a sort of tar which is deadly. With it daubed on their arrows, they can go out and kill a lion or an elephant. The poison does not spoil the meat, however, except that immediately surrounding the wound.

"We had one clew—the arrows.

"I picked up 19 arrows which had been shot at these four sleeping herdsmen. We knew from the type of arrows that the murderers had been Wa Kamba tribesmen, the same tribe as the men who were killed but living in a different part of the country.

"In Africa the divisional or tribal arrowmaker puts a distinctive mark on the iron-headed arrows he makes for each man. The mark is a cross or a triangle or a series of lines.

"The system grew up in the dim unrecorded past as a signature for hunters. Two or three natives may go hunting together and let fly a swarm of arrows when they find a flock of wildebeste or buffalo. Or the whole man-power of a village may turn out to get a lion or an elephant. Every one would claim the kill if the arrow in the vital spot could not be identified. So they developed the trade-marks.

RELUCTANT TO TALK

"Well, these murderous arrowheads with their crude heiroglyphics were just as good as a set of finger-prints would be to a city police force. I took the 19 arrowheads to the district governor of Kituwi who had jurisdiction over the territory and told him the story.

"A great stir began among the police of the district. They hurried out to the arrowmakers. In every larger village they went to the smithy, where the skilled ironworkers were hammering out barbed points. There was a puzzled shaking of heads and sometimes a suspicious refusal to talk. At length they found the maker of the arrowheads.

"Yes, they were his heads, and he knew the fellows who carried them. The suspects were investigated and then arrested. There was a summary trial and a hanging. Even in the heart of Africa, sometimes, murder will out."

African natives live to eat, Klein thinks. They have that quality to a higher degree than any other people he is acquainted with. Often they face starvation, due to the burning sun, scarcity of rain and the ferocious beasts which stalk the natives while they themselves are hunting for game.

When they have food, they eat it ravenously without thought of saving for the future.

CANNIBALISM EXISTS

"They don't wait to cook their food when they are hungry," says Klein. "I have seen them come up to a trap or pit in which they have caught game. They jump in, tear the animal apart and begin eating at once. They keep on eating as long as they can stand up. And I have seen them after a hunt wake up at night and begin eating again from the bone they were chewing at when sleep overcame them.

"Cannibalism still exists. The British officials are doing everything they can to stop it, and they deserve edit. But it is impossible to police Africa thoroughly enough to regulate every native.

"Cannibalism is both a feast and a superstitious rite, according to the practice of different tribes. Some esteem human flesh as a delicacy and like to go out and kill a stranger or enemy for food. The other form is practiced more by women. After someone has died, usually a relative, they go out to where the body was thrown to the jackals and take a portion, usually an arm. They think that by eating this they will take to themselves the strength and power of the dead person."

For all the primitiveness of their weapons, the natives are mighty hunters. With only a bow and poisoned arrows, or with a shield and spear, they will attack a lion. The courage it takes for such spear combat can be realized when one thinks of waiting coolly the rush of a charging lion to impale him on a slender pointed staff. No low degree of courage is required to face him with a high-powered repeating rifle.

TAKES BRAVERY

Natives with their own frail weapons rather than the white man and firearms are depleting the game in Africa, according to Klein. In spite of the vigilance of government police, great game drives still are held. Herds of hundreds of game animals are rounded up on the grassy plains and slaughtered in traps to make a week's gormandizing for a handful of villages.

Klein's own hunting was as much with the camera as with the gun. No one has brought from Africa a more extensive or difficult collection of film than his. His moving picture film of wild animals in their native freedom are called at the museum the most unusual ever taken. His movies show native dances and ceremonies, grazing herds of gnu, antelope, wildebeste, buffalo and other game.

His films show not only the hyenas but jackals snatching a bite of the bait and darting away, and a background of vultures, storks and marabou waiting their turn.

Klein makes his headquarters in Nairobi, Kenya Colony. Formerly the colony was called British East Africa. Life in the territory was little affected by the war and is scarcely touched by the clattering, self-sufficient outside world. Klein saw his first airplane last summer in Paris on his way to America.

KILLING lions isn't as hard as it seems, A. J. Klein, who killed 88 of them, and other noted hunters of wild game, agree.

Should you suddenly cross the path of a lion in the jungle, the chances are it will look at you rather blankly for a while, then yawn and walk away. It will cast a glance back in your direction every once in a while, not in any flirtatious sense, but merely to see what sort of ideas are in your head.

If you have made no attempt to follow, the lion will keep right on, unafraid and leisurely. But should you take a step in its direction, that is another story again. In such a case the lion probably will come to the wise conclusion that your intentions aren't of the best, and it will immediately organize itself to defend its life.

Other so-called wild animals are much the same as the lion. None of the animals wish to disturb you, nor in turn, to be disturbed. They will go out of their way to avoid trouble, not that they are afraid, but merely because they are essentially peace-loving.

Klein killed 88 lions and few of them required more than one or two well-directed bullets. Klein's admiration goes out to the native hunter, armed only with a long spear, the tip of which is dipped in a native poison.

Hunting lions with a spear requires genuine bravery, he said. But picking them off with high-powered rifles is no feat at all.

The unconcern of lions for your presence is noticed chiefly in those sections of the jungles least visited by white men. It seems even lions come to recognize the power of the little pointed "sticks" out of which spouts a fiery death.

Hunters will tell you that an enraged elephant is more-dangerous than an enraged lion. That between the two beasts they prefer to match their wits and speed with those of the Kings of Beasts. In the first place the hide of an elephant is thick and there is too large a "territory" on an elephant in which a bullet will not prove fatal.

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PRESENT CLAIMS OF NAT. BANKS

Washington, Dec. 2.—The claims of the national banking system of the country for legislative consideration placing them on even terms with other financial institutions were laid before Congress Monday in the annual report of Comptroller Dawes, of the Currency.

Mr. Dawes declared that the disparity between the position of national banks and state and private banks and other financial institutions must be removed through more liberal treatment of the national institutions and by according them more privileges from the government. Only through granting them such powers as he recommended in his report, he believed, could they check a waning of their influence and strength.

The Comptroller mentioned that twice in the history of this government the national banks had proved the vehicle for the nation's war-time fiscal operations, and that in each case their operations were larger than anything about which the world had known prior to their successful conclusion. In the Civil War, he added, no other governmental instrumentality rendered a more effective service.

"The function which the Federal Reserve System performed in the fiscal operations of the government during and after the world war is history and not theory," the Comptroller said. "If the national banks should go out of existence, the Federal reserve system would become entirely a voluntary system; it would be little more than a loose aggregation of banking powers, without coherence, without discipline, and not subject to Federal authority. Its members would be subject to the laws of 48 different states, and moral suasion would take the place of legal control as the only means by which the government's influence could be exerted. Even if it were assumed that such a loosely controlled system would function under normal conditions, it would cease to be a great machine ready on a moment's notice to meet the nation's need in a time of crisis.

"The national banks afford a strong, aggressive, and permanent membership; they have resources of over $23,000,000,000; they comprise units ranging in size from the largest banking aggregations in the world to neighborhood institutions for the service of small and remote communities, and it is unthinkable that, either through direct act or neglect, the government of the United States should permit the dissolution of such an institution or lose its control over it.

"It should never be forgotten that when the Federal reserve system was formed the national banks were not invited to join—they were forced to become members. Having thus been brought in by compulsion, the government is in duty bound to treat them with fairness or suffer the consequences of the surrender of their charters.

"If, at the expiration of the charters of the Federal reserve banks, Congress for any reason should not recharter these banks, and if at that time the national banking system had gone out of existence, the Federal government would have lost all direct control over banking."

Mr. Dawes cited records showing that 40 years ago the national banks had 75 per cent of the total banking resources of the country while their combined force today represents only 47 per cent of the total. Since 1918, he added, 206 national banks, each with a capital of $100,000 or over, have surrendered their national charters to reenter business under state laws and they carried with them total assets of more than two and a quarter billion dollars.

Resources of the national banks October 10 last, he said, were $23,323,061,000, a sum substantially greater than at any time in the last four years, but their growth has not kept pace with that of institutions operating under state laws.

To the end that the national banks may recover some of the ground lost, in comparison with state and private banks, Mr. Dawes recommended to Congress the following changes in the national banking and reserve acts.

Elimination of the date of charter expiration, making the charter rights perpetual.

Permission for the issuing of charters to national banks in a city of 50,000 or more with a capital of $100,000.

Codification and clarification of provisions establishing a legal loan limit to one person.

amendment of the Federal Reserve Act to permit national banks to make loans on improved city real estate for a term of five years instead of the present one year basis.

Revision of the discount limitations which force the withholding of certain classes of paper from rediscount with the Federal Reserve banks.

Authority for the more liberal use of stock dividends.

Enactment of the Pepper-McFadden bill.

The granting of express authority for operation of safe deposit divisions.

The Comptroller gave the total banking resources of the country, as represented by 29,360 banks, including the 12 reserve banks, as $64,935,058,000, June 30, 1924. This shows a gain of nearly three billion dollars over the same date a year ago. The loans and discounts of these banks were $31,822,882,000, or a gain of $850,000,000 over the corresponding date of last year. Capital stock of all of the banks was increased in the year from $3,161,794,000 to $3,225,623,000.

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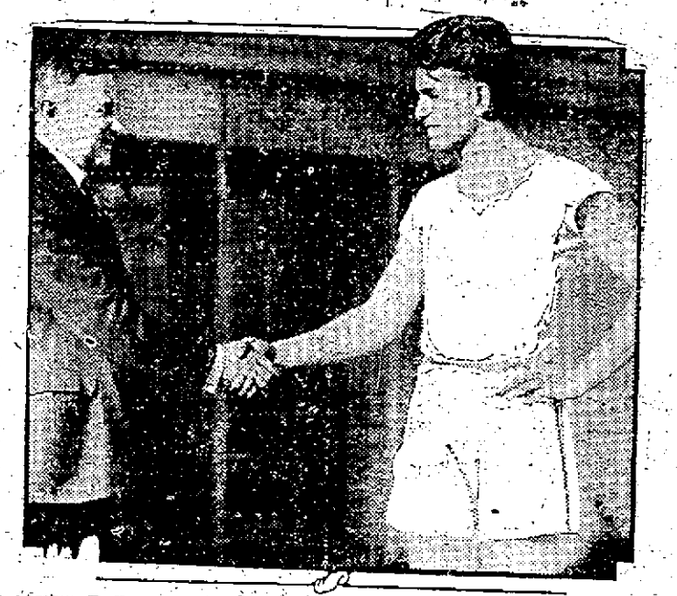

Arthur Duffey of Boston was the first man to be timed in 9 3-5 seconds for the hundred. Duffey is now a Boston sports writer. Frankie Hussey, high school boy who ran for America in the Olympic dashes, has been timed unofficially in 9 3-5 for the same event. Hussey is attending school in Boston, and the other day he met the old sprinting king for the first time.

ROCHESTER MAN'S WIFE DISAPPEARS

Rochester, Dec. 1.—Up to a late hour last night James Baxter, who resides on the Rochester Hill Road, had received no word as to the whereabouts of his wife, who left home Tuesday night, leaving three small children and a note for her husband the contents of which he declines to discuss.

Mr. Baxter and his wife were married in Massachusetts six years ago. Her maiden name was Marion Kelly and she was formerly employed as a toll operator in a Boston telephone office. Her parents live in Dorchester, Mass. It is said that Tuesday night Mrs. Baxter left the house telling her husband she was making a business trip to Rochester. It is said she entered a machine near the house.

When she did not return it is claimed the husband found a note that she left explaining the reason for her absence. Baxter then took his children to the home of his mother, Mrs. Geo. H. Phillips, where he is at present. Mr. Baxter is employed at a local store.

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Their Mother Is Governor

Here are the sons of Mrs. Nellie Taylor Ross, governor-elect of Wyoming. Their father held the same office before his death in October. From left to right they are: Ambrose, George Taylor and William Bradford Ross. Ambrose and George are twins. They are 21. William is 13.

MUCH INTEREST IN PROGRAM

The members of the Chamber of Commerce are showing an unusual interest in the proposed program of work that was referred to them by the directors through a referendum vote which is now in progress.

An unusual number of votes have been received up to date and thereby records the appreciation of the membership for the laying down of a definite program of major activities during the ensuing Chamber of Commerce year.

There were eleven projects referred to the membership and the replies have shown in some cases a rather varied selection. However, in majority of cases the entire program has been approved, up to date.

It has been interesting to note in the progress of the referendum vote that the Atlantic Heights new street proposal has met with almost unanimous favor up to this moment. The time for filing the votes by the members on the program of work expires at 5 o'clock Wednesday, Dec. 3. All members of the chamber not having yet recorded their preference are requested to do so, either by mail or in person before that time.

The final report of the referendum vote will be made to the board of directors at the meeting Monday, Dec. 8. It is expected at that time that the various projects adopted will be referred to the committees already appointed to handle various projects, or where no standing committee exists, new committees will be appointed.

GETS 25 YEARS IN MAIL ROBBERY

(By Associated Press)

Chicago, Dec. 1.—William J. Fahy, once rated as one of the most capable of Government postal inspectors, and James Murray, minor political boss of Chicago's West Side, were Saturday sentenced to 25 years in Atlanta Penitentiary for their parts in the $2,000,000 mail robbery at Rondout, Ill., last June.

Herbert Holliday, Brent Casscock, Joe, Jesse, Wylie and Willie Newton, the actual robbers, all of whom pleaded guilty, will be sentenced today.

Walter McComb, who was tried with Fahy and Murray, was found not guilty.

NEW POSITION FOR F. T. GRANT

Boston, Dec. 2.—Frederick T. Grant, who worked his way from office boy in the office of the general passenger agent of the Boston & Maine Railroad to the position of general passenger agent, which he has held for five years, has been promoted again to passenger traffic manager, a new position created for him.

Changes in the traffic department of the Boston & Maine Railroad, effective yesterday, were announced by Vice Pres. Gerrit Fort. Other changes follow:

W. O. Wright, former assistant general freight and passenger agent at Portland, Me., will succeed Mr. Grant as general passenger agent, with office at North Station. Mr. Wright was for a number of years transportation manager of the Associated Industries of Massachusetts.

P. J. Mullaney, former chief clerk to the vice president, has been promoted to the position of assistant general freight and passenger agent with office at room 604, Fidelity Building, Portland.

Frederick T. Grant was born in Somerville Sept. 21, 1874, and attended the Prescott grammar and Somerville high schools. When he took his first job he was not especially interested in railroads, but he entered the office of Dana J. Flanders, general passenger agent of the Boston and Maine, Feb. 1, 1893. He worked hard and long and studiously applied himself to the problems of passenger traffic.

Promotions were rapid, and Oct. 15, 1910, he was made assistant general passenger agent. Two years later he was made general passenger agent of the Rutland Railroad. On May 6, 1918 General Passenger Agent Charles M. Burt of the Boston & Maine took a leave of absence and Mr. Grant was appointed acting general passenger agent and he held both positions for two years.

In March, 1920, he was made general passenger agent of the Boston & Maine, Mr. Grant now lives in Melrose.

Within a garage at Winslow, Ariz., when it was ignited by the explosion of a drum of gasoline, were eight puppies, new born and helpless. The mother dog ran through the flames to emerge with one of her offspring. She repeated this eight times, till her coat was burned from her back, her last trip completed with a scorched and dead puppy. But she is quite happy with the others.

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The Board of Registrars will be in session at the Council Chambers, City Hall on Tuesday, Nov. 25, Tuesday, Dec. 2 and Wednesday, Dec. 3, 1924 to prepare checklists for the coming election of Dec. 9, 1924, from 9 to 12 a. m. and 2 to 5, 7 to 9 p. m.

A session will be held on Election day from 8 to 12 a. m. for the sole purpose of correcting mistakes made by the Board or in the printers office.

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B. & M. PETITIONS TO CUT ITS LINES

76 More Miles Affected in Newest Move--Wakefield-Newburyport Branch Hit

Boston, Dec. 1—In an effort to abandon more branch lines the Boston & Maine railroad has filed with the Interstate Commerce Commission at Washington applications for authority to stop its service over 76 miles of line, of which 30 miles are in Massachusetts and 46 miles in New Hampshire.

President James H. Hustis of the B. & M., referring to this proposed action in a public statement said: "The lines covered by these applications extend between Wakefield Center and Newburyport, Mass.; Manchester and Henniker Junction, East Milford and Grasmere Junction, and Parker to New Boston.

"In some cases it is planned to retain short portions of these lines at main line junctions in order that industries within easy access of main routes may continue to be served.

"The abandonment is requested on the ground that the operation of these lines has involved substantial losses which have been confirmed by recent stdies. Under present conditions the out-of-pocket loss on these lines exceeds the gross revenue, and the burden on the rest of the system resulting from the continued operation of these lines is entirely out of proportion to the local benefit derived from their continued operation.

"The filing of these applications is in line with the policy of the Boston & Maine to reduce its mileage of unprofitable lines to a reasonable proportion of its total mileage. Two similar applications are now before the Interstate Commerce Commission, one covering the Nashua & Acton railroad and the other covering about nine miles of trackage in the neighborhood of Tewksbury. Hearings are now being held. It is planned to file other applications from time to time as conditions warrant, in accordance with a comprehensive program.

"While much of the unprofitable mileage of the Boston & Maine results from the fact that the system is a combination of many small roads constructed years ago for competitive reasons, the situation has been brought to a head by reason of the rapid development of the motor bus and motor truck and the extensive program of highway construction and improvement.

"The line from Wakefield to Newburyport furnishes a striking example of the effect of these changed conditions, as this territory is traversed by one of the finest concrete highways in the United States—the famous Newburyport Turnpike.

"In following out its program for the elimination of unprofitable mileage, every effort is being made to avoid hardship to the communities served by these lines, and consideration is given to the practicability of serving these communities by motor transportation."

The places affected by the abandonment of the Wakefield Center-Newburyport branch are Wakefield Center, Lowell street, Lynnfield Center, West Peabody, Collins street, Tapleyville, Danvers, Putnamville, Topsfield, Boxford, Baldpate, Georgetown, Byfield and Newburyport.

There is still another branch line from Wakefield Center which accommodates residents of Montrose, Lynnfield, South Peabody, Hunt-Rankin company, Peabody, Grove street, Carltonville, North street and Salem.

Senator Warren of Wyoming, who has had the longest service in the Senate, may become a majority spokesman because of the rivalry between Senator Wadsworth of New York and Senator Curtis of Kansas.

INTERNATIONAL CO-OPERATION

The following article clipped from a Liverpool paper shows how a Family Welfare association can be helpful.

"T. J. C., a chubby-little fellow just over two years old, arrived in Liverpool this morning by the Cunard liner, Laconia, after a journey by land and sea of 5,055 miles, without escort of relatives.

"The child is an orphan. His grandmother lives in Broadgreenroad, Old Swan, and he was met by an aunt when the steamer arrived this morning.

"Although so young he has had a checkered career. His parents died sometime prior to August, 1923, when he was just one year old. About the date mentioned the Associated Charities of San Francisco asked the Liverpool Central Relief Charity Organization Society to help in tracing the relatives of the child. It appeared that the child had got into the hands of a woman who had received money from its relatives in England.

"The Associated Charities furnished the Liverpool society with an address, but on calling they were informed that a new tenant had recently taken over the business and he knew no one of the name given. In March last a letter giving the correct address of the grandmother came to hand. She corroborated the story that the person who had charge of the child had written asking for money, and they had sent her a considerable sum; consequently the family were very anxious that the child should come to Liverpool where its father's relatives reside.

"The Associated Charities had finally to take an action-at-law to gain custody of the child. When this was satisfactorily settled, arrangements were made by the society for the transport of the child across the continent of America to New York, and also with the New York Charity Organization society to have the child met on arrival and handed over to the Cunard Ship company on the Laconia.

The transport across the continent of America was the most difficult part of the problem. The distance is 2,800 miles, and takes the greater part of a week to accomplish. As the cost of sending someone across the continent, including return journey, would be about $150, the Liverpool society asked the Associated Charities to arrange with some suitable passenger to New York to take charge of the child for payment, which was carried out.

"The steamer ticket was sent to the New York office of the Cunard Steamship company, advising them that the New York Charity Organization Society had been asked to arrange for someone to meet the child at the train on its arrival, and to send someone for the ticket. Money was sent to San Francisco to pay the charges connected with the journey to New York.

"On arrival at Liverpool this morning the little traveler was handed over to Mrs. Fycraft, a lady worker of the Liverpool Port and Station Work Society, who transferred him to his aunt for conveyance to his grandmother."

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B. & M. ROAD TO HELP MAINE AGRICULTURE

Portland, Dec. 1.—"Maine is the only state in New England in which agricultural development may be looked for," declared Gerrit Fort, vice president and traffic manager of the Boston & Maine railroad, at a joint meeting of the State Chamber of Commerce and the Portland Chamber of Commerce. He pledged earnest cooperation of the Boston & Maine in this development. Other speakers included President Morris McDonald of the Maine Central railroad, Walter S. Wyman, president of Central Maine Power Company, and A. W. Gilbert, Massachusetts commissioner of agriculture.

Mr. Fort said that this year on his road has been the best since the end of government control, with a balance of $1,000,000 after the first 10 months of 1924, and a prospect of a balance of $1,500,000 for the total year. He said that economies had nearly reached their limit. He declared that decrease in freight and passenger revenue was largely due to automobiles, and he suggested their regulation as the railroads are regulated. He condemned taxing of a railroad's gross receipts.

Dr. Gilbert asserted that Maine agriculture has steadily declined since the Civil war. He said that there is 42 per cent less cultivated land in Massachusetts today than 60 years ago, but pointed out that industrial centers were still increasing in population.

An attack upon the present methods of levying the state excise tax on railroads operating in Maine, was made by President McDonald. He declared that the principal of this taxation is unsound and unfair. Rates and fares of the roads have been compelled to advance by increased operating expenses, he said, and the franchise tax has kept pace with them, although net earnings of the corporations have greatly diminished. He declared that the railroads would propose the gross net plan in place of the present tax to the next Maine Legislature.

WOMAN BURIED IN PAPER MONEY

New York, Dec. 2—Covered with a small green mound of $1 and $2 bills, a woman, believed to be Minnie Griffin of Brooklyn, was found by Patrolman Scott of the Parkville station, lying face upwards in at field at Ocean Parkway, Brooklyn.

She was taken to the Kings county hospital. There, it was said, she would be examined for possible mental disorders and efforts made to learn what prompted her to bury herself under a mass of greenbacks.

Scott discovered the woman's face and feet protruding from the little mountain of green. Her body was only about 25 feet from the sidewalk.

Brushing away the bills, later found to total more than $700, he found her dazed and incoherent.

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SEVEN KILLED IN NEW YORK BLAZE

Ten Badly Hurt When Flames Sweep Rooming House Near Broadway

(By Associated Press)

New York, Dec. 2.—Seven persons, four men and three women, lost their lives and 10 were injured Monday in a fire which swept through a West 63d street rooming house, within half a block of Broadway. The origin of the fire has not yet been determined. Several of the victims were trapped in their rooms.

Detectives were searching for a street car motorman who ran his car over a fire hose, severing the tubing and delaying the firemen fully 10 minutes. This was said to have contributed materially to the seriousness of the blaze.

Mrs. Freda Dascher, 28, and Miss Mitzi Rehak, 23, who were killed, were caught in their rooms on the top floor of the four-story structure. Miss Rehak's body lay in her room. Mrs. Dascher, unconscious, was found in a rear court yard. She died a few hours later in a hospital.

Jack Reid, 38, who also roomed on the top floor, died in a hospital of injuries received when he fell to the street in attempting to escape through a window.

Two Spanish youths, known only to fellow lodgers as Louis and Samuel, died in their top floor room, held there by the rapid spread of the flames.

A half dozen persons were saved in breath-taking rescues by lodgers and firemen. James Kelly, son of the landlady, Mrs. Anna Kelly, saved his sister, Anna, by swinging her from the window of a fourth floor room to the projecting ledge of the adjoining building.

Mrs. Kelly, in a panic, jumped the four floors to the court yard, and suffered internal injuries. John Reynolds, James Kelly's cousin, was burned about the hands and face in assisting at the rescue of Anna.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Cooper sat on the window ledge of their third floor room with the flames consuming the night clothes on their backs, until firemen on an aerial ladder reached them. Frank Donnelly had the flesh torn away from his hands when he lowered his wife three floors to safety on a fire escape rope, by means of which he later made his way to the ground, hand over hand. Mrs. Donnelly died later in a hospital, however Uldrich Bodeman jumped from a second floor window and sustained internal hurts from which he later died, and George Moore, his wife and son, Robert, were burned about their heads and faces before firemen carried them to the street from the third floor.

CITATION

State of New Hampshire-Rockingham,ss
COURT OF PROBATE

To all persons interested in the estate of Katharine M. Haven late of Portsmouth, in said county, deceased, testate.

Whereas Richard W. Hale, Executor of the will of said deceased and H. Hooper Lawrence, the administrator with the will annexed de bonis non of the estate of said deceased has presented for allowance the sixth account of their administration upon the estate of said deceased.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Court of Probate, to be held at Exeter, in said County of Rockingham, on the twenty-third day of December A. D. 1924, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said Executor and Administrator c. t. a. d. b. n. are ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Portsmouth Herald a newspaper published in Portsmouth, in said County, the last publication to be one week at least before said Court.

Witness, Louis G. Hoyt, Esquire, Judge of said Court this first day of December A. D. 1924.

ROBERT SCOTT, Register.

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CITATION

State of New Hampshire-Rockingham,ss
COURT OF PROBATE

To all persons interested in the trusts of Alfred W. Haven late of Portsmouth, in said County, deceased, testate:

Whereas Richard W. Hale and H. Hooper Lawrence trustees under the will of said deceased have filed in the Probate Office for said County the tenth account of their trusteeship of certain estate held by them for the benefit of Eleanor B. Haven and Katharine M. Haven.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Court of Probate to be holden at Exeter in said County on the twenty-third day of December A. D. 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

Said trustees are ordered to serve this citation by causing the same to be published once each week for three successive weeks in the Portsmouth Herald, a newspaper printed at Portsmouth in said County, the last publication to be at least seven days before said Court.

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SOUTH ELIOT

South Eliot, Dec. 2.—The evangelistic meetings at the Methodist church closed Sunday evening with a large congregation in attendance. Miss Adams the evangelist, presented for her subject "The Two Ways," and her audience was greatly moved by her eloquent preaching. At the close of the sermon about fifty gathered about the altar for prayer and consecration. The three week's meetings have been very helpful and inspiring to all who have been privileged to attend and a number have expressed their purpose to live the Christian life. Miss Adam's fearless and forceful preaching has been very much appreciated and her constructive type of evangelism is sure to leave a splendid influence on the community.

Albert W. Staples and Miss Minnie K. Zillhart, both of South Eliot, were united in marriage by Rev. F. R. Welch at the parsonage Thursday afternoon.

Miss Edith Whittemore of Lawrence spent Thanksgiving with her brother, Mr. Elwood Whittemore and family on Bolt Hill.

The children of this place had a very enjoyable time at Miss Adam's ice cream party at Epworth Hall, Saturday afternoon. There were seventy-five in attendance. The Girl Reserves rendered valuable assistance.

The Ladies' Aid will be entertained this week by Mrs. Bush on Thursday afternoon.

Rev. J. M. Arters, district superintendent, will preach at the Methodist church Monday evening, Dec. 8 at 7.30. Everybody welcome.

Miss Frances B. Adams went to Boston Monday to deliver an evangelistic message at the Morgan Memorial church.

The ladies of the Methodist church are planning to have a "Parcel Post Sale" Thursday Dec. 11, at the parsonage.

Miss Arline Leavitt returned to her studies at Wollaston, Mass., Sunday afternoon, after having passed the holiday and week end in town as the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Leavitt.

Mrs. Trevelyn Fernald and little daughter Edith are visiting her parents in Springfield, Mass.

Otto Dixon of Greenacre who has been confined to his home the past few weeks by illness, is now able to be out again.

Work on the new school house is progressing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Hall motored to Boston Friday.

Miss Elizabeth Davis has returned to Boston University after having enjoyed a short vacation in town with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Irving Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Langley and little son passed the holiday with the former's parents in Dover.

The So. Eliot Volunteer Firemen have invited the Firemen of Kittery to be their guests this evening to an Oyster Stew Supper, to be held in the fire house at Cross St.

Miss Sybil Spinney of Chelsea, Mass., has been a recent guest of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Davis.

Miss Geneva Bowden is confined to her home by illness.

Robert T. Staples, who was badly injured on the navy yard, has so far recovered as to be able to resume his work there yesterday. His many friends and workmen gave him a hearty welcome back.

R. W. Derrick is building a new bungalow at Fairfield Park.

The snow storm of Saturday was certainly a real touch of winter and caused quite a lot of damage in town.

KITTERY

Kittery, Dec. 2—The ladies of the Community Arts and Crafts club hold an exhibition of their work on Thursday, Dec. 4, at the Wentworth school building from 12 to 4 p. m. The main idea is to get acquainted, to show what progress has been made in the short time since the club was started, to interest you so much that you will be glad to join with them and aid in planning to make the work of that club a big success. They will show you rugs and the loom on which they were woven, also baskets of many sizes and shapes into each of which they have woven a pleasant thought. There will be embroidery and candy, and as a special inducement there will be parrots for sale. A dear old lady had taught her parrot to sing "Home, Sweet Home." In telling a friend about it she said, "I wish you could hear him. He is so earnest about it the tears run down his bill." This friend happened to be an unsympathetic man. He said, "Come and see and hear mine. When I whistle 'The Village Blacksmith' my Polly joins in and he gets so excited the sparks fly from his tail." You can have either kind and you will surely get a hearty welcome. Thursday, Dec. 4.

Attention, grange members. Don't forget the meeting of the grange tomorrow evening. The annual election of officers will be held. Your Master wants all present to help elect the officers for the coming year. Please come and show your interest in the Kittery grange.

The subject of the prayer service at the Second M. E. church this evening will be "The Dimensions of Stewardship." Following the service there will be an official board meeting.

William Midgley, who has been the guest of his sister, Mrs. J. Edgar Burnham of Woodlawn avenue, for several days, has returned to his home in Providence, R. I.

Passaconaway Council holds a whist party this evening at the lodge rooms in Wentworth block. Come and have a good time.

At the meeting of the Piscataqua Men's club last Friday evening the follow officers were elected for the coming year: John Foye, speridont; Howard Langdon, vice president; Elmer Eldridge, secretary; Albert Campbell, treasurer. The next meeting will be on Dec. 19.

The subject of the prayer meeting this evening at the Second Christian church will be "Winning Souls."

The first meeting of the second week of the evangelistisc services was held at the Second Christian church Monday evening. The speaker, Rev. L. C. Holmes of Dover, took for his text, "What Think Ye of Christ," using as separate heads, his mission, his message, his methods and his majesty, developing the arguments for His immaculate birth and divinity. Two solos, "One Day" and "Jesus is Tenderly Pleading", were sung by Mrs. Raymond Pugsley of Dover. More of our residents should improve the opportunity to hear this talented speaker when he comes for the remaining services.

The Ladies Aid society of the First Methodist church at North Kittery will hold their annual Christmas sale next Thursday evening. During the evening a very interesting drama will be given by local talent.

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SAYS COLLEGE IS TOO SMALL

Concord, Dec. 2.—Addressing the Kiwanis Club Monday, Pres. Ralph D. Hetzel of the University of New Hampshire made a fervent plea for better support by the state in the development of that institution.

He called attention to the fact that the university had been compelled to deny admission to 70 boys and girls this year and predicted that next year it will have to deny more.

"Furthermore," he continued, "the work of your university is being cramped and impaired and your boys and girls are living under conditions that are unfair to them and unbecoming to our state.

"There has been no state appropriation for a dormitory building at the University since 1915. Since that date the college enrollment has increased almost three times. There has been no state appropriation for a recitation building since 1913, and in the intervening years the enrollment has gone from 300 to 1200."

KITTERY POINT

Kittery Point, Dec. 2.—Pythian Sisters Sewing Circle will meet with Mrs. Edna Bedell for an all day session Thursday. Members requested to be present.

Mrs. Thurston Patch will entertain the K. F. G. Club all day on Wednesday.

Mrs. Marjorie Billings is confined to her home quite ill.

There will be a meeting held in Golden Cross hall next to the post-office this evening, pertaining to the opening of the electric road.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Baptist church will meet for an all day session at the vestry Wednesday. A basket lunch will be served at noon.

Christian Endeavor prayer service of the First Christian church will be held at the home of Mrs. N. E. Emery this evening.

The Baptist prayer meeting will be held at the vestry at 7 p. m.

Mid week prayer meeting of the Congregational church will be held at the Community House this evening.

George Gunnison has been confined to his home ill with grippe.

TRAIN LEAVES TRACK ON THE SUNCOOK BRANCH

Pittsfield, Dec. 2—The morning passenger train on the Suncook Valley branch was derailed Monday between Barnstead Parade and Barnstead Center. The train was made up of freight and passenger cars.

The drive wheels of the engine left the rails and the two freight cars jumped the track and turned completely over, but the passenger and baggage cars did not leave the iron.

No one was serious injured, although several were badly shaken up. The track was torn up for 200 feet.

Owing to the fact that the telephone wires were down, it was necessary to sent an automobile to Concord to obtain a wrecking crew. Since the snow storm of Saturday this town has been completely isolated as far as telephone service is concerned, as 36 poles, carrying 60 wires, were down between this town and Concord.

IS HELD FOR DESERTING WIFE

Dover, Dec. 2.—John H. Swain of Watertown, Mass., formerly of this city, was arraigned at a special session of the Municipal Court Monday on the charge of deserting and not supporting his wife. He pleaded not guilty.

His wife, the only witness, accused him with giving her $80 and leaving her, March 23, and not contributing anything since to her support. She declared she found on going to Boston late in May that he was paying attention to a Mrs. Norton. She saw the pair through the window of a home on Arch St., Back Bay. When she entered and asked for her husband the woman said he was not there

Swain declined to testify and was held in $500 for the February sitting of the Grand Jury.

BANGOR PAPER HAS BAD FIRE

Bangor, Dec. 2.—Fire last night on the top floor of the Bangor Daily Commercial building on Main street resulted in damage estimated at $10,000 or more. The blaze started in the plant of the Pioneer Engraving Company and the equipment was destroyed with a loss of about $4000.

Water flooded the composing room of the Bangor Commercial, directly below, deluging the linotype machines and putting all but one or two out of commission. It also did much damage in the editorial and other offices on the floor below this room.

This is the first fire loss for the Commercial since it was established more than 70 years ago and arrangements will be made to publish the usual editions today.

METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

There will be an important meeting of the official board at the parsonage on Wednesday evening, December 3, at 7.45.

The Philathea Class will hold a Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Mark Snook, 420 Richards avenue on Thursday evening, December 4, at 7.45. All members are urged to be present.

A four-cornered tie in the vote for constable in Coon Island township, Mo., is puzzling the authorities there, who are at a loss how to decide the contest. There were no candidates for the office on either ticket but, when the ballots were counted it was found that four names had been written in. Each received one vote.

JUNIOR Cross Word PUZZLE

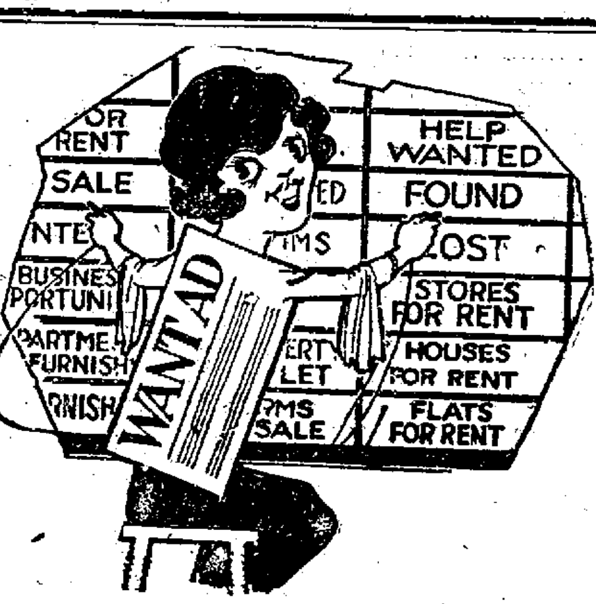
C	H	I	L	D
R	■	F	■	A
U	P	■	I	N
E	■	I	■	D
L	U	S	T	Y

Answer to yesterday's Junior Cross Word Puzzle.

HOW TO SOLVE

One letter to each white square. Words start in numbered squares going either across (Horizontal) or up and down (Vertical.) The words in CAPITAL letters below have same meaning as the missing word. Remember letters when placed in the squares should spell a word up and down or across.

(Watch for next Junior Cross Word Puzzle tomorrow)



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WANTED—Work of any kind by able bodied man. Address 25 Richmond St., phone 646-J. tf 130

WANTED—Boarders at 20 Wentworth street, rear. 1w n29

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WANTED—Kitchen girl at Little Gem Cafe 181 Vaughan street. tf a4

WANTED—Work by day or hour, by competent middle aged lady. House work cooking, sewing etc. Address P. O. Box 456, Portsmouth. 1w n26

WANTED—A man for sales organization to represent large eastern concern. Must be ambitious and willing to work eight hours a day. Address G. C. M. Herald office. 1w d2

WANTED—Girl for general house work and care of two children. No cooking. Phone 1920 or write Box 42, Herald Office. tf d2

WANTED—Would like to take a child to board between the ages of two to six with best of care. Apply 73 Gates St. 1w d1

WANTED—Work of any kind. Repairing anything or labor. Tel. 1582-R. 1w d1

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TO LET—Garage. 535 Union St. Tel. 932-W. 1w d1

TO LET—A six room tenement, all modern improvements. Apply 185 Marcy St. 1w d1

TO LET—2 and 3 room apartments for light housekeeping. $4 to $8. per week. Apply 185 Marcy St. 1w d1

TO LET—Furnished apartment and rooms. Steam heat and electric lights. Apply 302 Islington St. Tel. 1405-R. 1w d1

TO LET—Four room tenement, all furnished. 39 Brewster St. tf n25

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TO LET—Parlor chamber, handsomely furnished, warm house, all improvements, 3 minutes from postoffice. 98 Court St., cor. Rogers St. 1w n26

TO LET—At the Eldredge House, a light housekeeping apartment. Also one room, attractively furnished. Well heated. tf n24

TO LET—In Kittery near navy yard, furnished rooms with board if desired. Phone 2190-W. Protestants preferred. 2w n22

TO LET—66 Russell St. 14 rooms, bath electric lights, furnace, $35. per month. 80 Russell St. 5 room flat, steam heat, electric lights and bath, $25. per month. 7 room house in New Castle $10. per month. Butler, 5 Market St. tf n21

TO LET—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping, steam heated and gas. Centrally located. Apply 48 Pearl St. tf n20

TO LET—Room, steam heat. 29 Tanner St. tf n11

TO LET—5 room tenement, all modern. Apply 173 Fleet St. Tel. 2191-X. tf o29

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TO LET—Apartments for light housekeeping. New Hampshire House, 147 State St. Phone 485-R. All improvements. tf o17

TO LET—Two front offices in Glebe building. Inquire DeLuxe Bakery tf m1

TO LET—Furnished rooms and kitchenette apartments. Sandford House State street.

TO LET—Furnished suite of two rooms with private bath. Also single room with bath. "The Islington." 218 Islington St. Tel. 8417. tf m31

TO LET—Suitable place for plumber shop, paint shop or any several manufacturing plants. Inquire at this office.

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FOR SALE—Two apartment house in Kittery. $500. down and easy monthly payments. Box 530, Kittery or Tel. 1989-W. 3t n21

FOR SALE—2 furnaces and fixtures in good condition. Will sell cheap. Apply 302 Islington St. Tele. 1405-R. 1w d2

FOR SALE—Nice dry kindling wood, 4 baskets $1.00. Express and jobbing. J. D. Whitney, 139 High St. Tel. 936-X. tf o27

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FOR SALE—In good running order, very reasonable price: 1 1918 Buick touring $150. one 1921 Cole 8 $200. One Dodge roadster $75. One Studebaker touring $75. L. F. Perilli Garage, Linden St. Tel. 728-W. tf n13

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FOR SALE—Horse, wagon and sled. Apply 379 Newcastle Ave. 1w d1

FOR SALE—Business on State St. Scales, fixtures, counters etc. Also Ford delivery with covered top very reasonable offer won't be refused Tel. 978-M tf n24

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FOR SALE—Small lunch and candy place. Catering to the Shapiro Shoe Factory. Apply 314 Cabot St. Tel. 257-J. 1w n29

FOR SALE—New house on Aldrich Road. Inquire at Portsmouth Gas Co. tf n7

FOR SALE—Round and square tables, one buffet, bureaus, cook and parlor stoves, Army overcoats. P. Levine, 90 Atkinson St. tf n8

FOR SALE—All kinds of second hand furniture. P. Levine, 90 Atkinson street. tf n8

FOR SALE—Household goods, must be sold at once. Apply 478 Middle St. tf n4

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FOR SALE—1923 Maxwell Sedan, low mileage. Priced right for quick sale. Green's Garage, Foye's Corner. Phone 1202-W. tf 123

FOR SALE—In Kittery, six room bungalow, town water electric lights. Garage in basement. Large lot, good location in walking distance of navy yard. Terms to reliable party. Price, reasonable. Apply to George D. Boulter Co., Kittery, Me. Tel. 254 tf a19

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FOR SALE—One two-ton dump body Nash truck in good condition. Chas. W. Gray Consolidation Coal Co Phone 90. tf 18

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LOST

LOST—At the Lafayette playgrounds a black mackinaw. Finder Tel. 1936-J. 1w n28

LOST—Sunday, Nov. 30 between North Church and Miller Ave., a string of gold beads. Finder please leave at 36 Market St. and receive a reward. 1w d2

LOST—A large auto robe, black on one side, green on the other, between Silas Pierce and Hislop garage. Finder return to Silas Pierce Co. and receive reward. 2t d2

LOST—A six months old kitten, yellow and black tiger with some white. Reward. Return to 75 Munroe St. 1w d1

FOUND

FOUND—On Saturday a dory adrift. Owner may have the same by proving property. Tel. 888-R. Mrs. Marston, 114 Mechanic St., City. tf n25

MISCELLANEOUS

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CITY FIVE LOSES TO BIDDEFORD

Local Team Still Has 105 Lead on Total Pinfall

The Biddeford All Stars gained seven pins in their series against the Portsmouth City Five when they won at the Arcade alleys last evening, 1429 to 1422. The local team however, still has a lead of 105 pins, and the series is to be decided by total pinfall. Renner was high with 312 and Blow led the visitors with 308. The scores:

Portsmouth City Five

Dow	91	117	83	291
Hooz	99	81	94	274
Welsh	95	85	81	261
Renner	120	93	99	312
Kingsbury	83	106	95	284
	488	482	452	1422

Biddeford All Stars

Blow	88	101	119	308
Bertrand	94	93	88	275
Hodga	89	118	86	293
Leavitt	120	81	105	306
Bennett	71	82	94	247
	462	475	492	1429

In the City League on Monday evening the Power Company were defeated by the Odd Fellows team. The score:

Portsmouth Power Co.

MacDougal	104	106	95	305
Randall	80	84	83	247
Harris	84	98	76	258
Kittle	78	77	91	246
Haywood	89	77	85	251
	435	442	430	1307

I. O. O. F.

Ford	85	119	83	288
Ogilvie	80	92	83	255
Stafford	83	80	86	249
Fowler	91	86	113	290
Kingsbury	93	128	93	314
	433	505	458	1396

NOTICE I. O. O. F.

Members of Osgood Lodge, No. 43, I. O. O. F. are hereby notified the Initatory degree will be conferred on candidates Thursday evening, Dec. 4th, at Odd Fellows hall by a degree staff composed of Past Grands. A full attendance is requested. A donation supper will be served. Sojourning Odd Fellows are invited to attend.

Per Order
GORDON N. BRAWN,
Noble Grand

CHAS. H. KEHOE, Rec. Sec.
3t-d2-3-4

CHRISTMAS SALE

Miss Mary E. B. Miller will hold a sale of hand decorated articles and small paintings in the vestry of the Universalist church, Pleasant St., on Tuesday, Dec. 2 from 9 a. m. to 5 p.m.

If Tuesday, Dec. 2nd should be violently stormy, with either snow or rain, the sale will be postponed until further notice. 2t n29-d1

NOTICE

I will be at Frisbee Bros., Kittery Point, Me., Dec. 4th and 11th from 6 to 8 p. m. Open evenings. Dec. 5th, 6th 12th and 13th at Kittery Family Laundry from 6 to 8 p. m.

All taxes not paid on or before Dec. 15th will be advertised.

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ANNOUNCEMENT

The store at 117 Market St., (between Costello's and Muchemore & Rider Co's) has been opened with a fresh and complete stock of Flour, Grain and Feed, including the well known and justly popular Wirthmore Poultry Feed and Stratton's "24" Stock Feed. Patronage is respectfully solicited. Telephone 2140.

I. A. COLEMAN

BENEFIT GAME FOR INJURED IS PLANNED

There is some talk of arranging a basket ball game between the high school and the Alumni for the holidays, the proceeds to be used to pay the doctor's expense for the members of the football squad who were injured during the season.

There were more than the ordinary number injured and in many cases x-rays had to be taken so that there has been an expense that the boys or their parents can ill afford to stand. There is no fund in the school from which such expenses can be taken and it is possible that the Athletic Council will arrange for this method of taking care of these expenses, which would meet with the approval of the general public.

CAMP SCHLEY ACTIVITIES

At the last meeting of the Spanish War Camp the committee on building reported and before an enthusiastic gathering of the vets arrangements were perfected for the conducting of the Home for the winter months. A report of the commander-in-chief was read pertaining to legislative matters and the standing of the bills now before Congress. A social hour was enjoyed by the members after the meeting.

At the meeting this evening after reports are made the annual election of officers will be held. Much interest is being shown in the election this year and a large attendance is expected. The camp is in a flourishing condition, having lost no members during the year and very few comrades were sick.

It is expected that a definite report will be made by the city council on the Civil and Spanish memorial to Portsmouth men that was unanimously favored by the council when the matter came before it. This is the third year that this project has been before the council and some action is expected before the first of January. Portsmouth is behind most cities in its recognition of the men who went to the front, and favorable action is expected.

ASKS RECOUNT AT FRANKLIN

Franklin, Dec. 2.—Mayor Louis S. Douphinet defeated by 15 votes at city election last week by Elmer Kelly Republican, has petitioned for a recount.

NOTICE

Sun Parlor whist party for the benefit of St. Raphael's Church, Kittery, Me., to be held at the home of Mrs. Adaline Daub, Government St., Thursday, Dec. 4, 1924 at 8 o'clock p. m. Music and refreshments will be served. Tickets 50c.
3t d2-3-4

CHRISTMAS SALE

Dec. 1, Odd Fellows Hall, Freeman's Block. Sale 2.30. Sale of cooked food, fancy work, aprons and candy. Entertainment at 8. 1w n26

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Christmas sale of fancy work and aprons. Mrs. A. C. Spinney, 39 Pray St., City. 3t d1

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Famous North Harbor Players in "MISS CIVILIZATION" Main Street Theatre, December 2, 8 p. m. Admission 25c. 1t d1

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Some of the linemen worked from Saturday night to Monday without any sleep and they looked like wrecks, for it is tough work.

Our Fard dates from Arabia are here; they are very fancy. 25c per lb. at Payne's. 1t d2

BIMBO Cookies at Central Bakery.

UNREDEEMED PLEDGES FOR SALE. Bargains in winter underwear and blankets. Rammer's Loan Office, 65 Daniel St. 1m n28

The Athletic Council of the High school will meet this week and award the football letters and then the letter men will elect a captain for next year.

Our Automobile insurance department has a 100 per cent record of satisfactory claim settlements. Agents for the Aetna Casualty & Surety Co. Caswell Agency, 9 Congress St.

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The traffice officers were still at Vaughan and Congress streets and at the Pleasant and State street corners on Monday for, in spite of the snow, there is a lot of automobile traffic. The first big storm will close the traffic work for the winter.

Atwood grape fruit at Payne's. 1t d2

Sta-Black stove polish will not burn off; it is the best stove polish because it requires no brushing, no rubbing, no dust, non inflammable. 15c per box at Payne's. 1t d2

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All of the candidates filed with the city clerk by Monday evening when the list was given to the printers to get the ballots ready for the election a week from today.

Last payment on Thrift Club at Piscataqua Savings Bank should be made on or before Saturday, December 6th. New club now open. 6t n29

With a temperature that did not rise above freezing in the shade all day Monday and dropped to below 20 degrees at night there are little signs of the snow going and if there had been a good hard frost before the storm it would look as though it would be with us the rest of the winter.

MANY INJURED

Falling snow and ice from roofs of buildings and icy sidewalks have been the cause of many accidents. Our General Liability Insurance policy covers your Legal Liability to extent of $5000. and $10,000.00 annual cost $5.00 and upward. C. E. TRAFTON, General Agent. 3t d2

BASKETBALL SEASON OPENS ON WEDNESDAY

The basketball season opens on Wednesday, when the Portsmouth Collegiates play the Dover professional team at Freeman's hall and it looks as though the game would be a worthy opener. Portsmouth has a team of stars and they will meet a team from Dover that has been playing together for some time and knows the game from all angles.

The game will be opened by Mayor Dexter throwing up the first ball and it is expected that there will be a big crowd out to see the Portsmouth favorites.

In addition to the big game there will be a preliminary game between the DeMolay of this city and the Naval Hospital team and this will be a fast one. After the game there will be dancing and Manager Phil Irish has planned to give the crowd a big run for their money.

He takes his team to Sanford to play next Saturday and has already booked some of the best of the professional teams for this city.

YOUNG BANDIT ROBS SALISBURY B. & M. STATION

Salisbury, Mass., Dec. 2.—While W. E. Lewis, agent at the Boston & Maine Railroad station here, was working on his books last night, a youth entered, pointed a revolver at his head and seized $32, all the money that was in the office drawer.

Lewis was told to hold up his hands and was ordered to the baggage room. The holdup man then locked all doors and disappeared. Lewis kicked out a window of the baggage room and notified the police.

Only a meagre description of the bandit was obtained. He was said to be a slender youth of about 20, wearing a dark cap and mackinaw coat.

COURT STREET CHRISTIAN CHURCH

The regular mid week prayer meeting will be held on Wednesday evening at 7.30 with Rev. E. K. Amazeen in charge. The subject will be "Old Time Religion." There will be good music and old fashioned hymns will be sung. If you wish to enjoy a real live prayer meeting try and be present.

A cordial invitation is extended to the public.

GRAFFORT CLUB

At Hotel Rockingham Wednesday at 8 p. m. Miss Louie Mudgett, dramatic recitalist, presents Crother's latest modern comedy "Mary the Third." Miss Mudgett is gifted with a remarkably fine voice and her power to hold a dramatic scene is unusual. Admission for non-Graffort Club members is fifty cents. 1t d2

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WEDNESDAY ONLY

Fancy Brisket	19c
Thick Rib	17c
Thin Rib (bone in)	10c
Thin Rib (boned)	14c
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Flank (boned)	10c
Sticker	13c
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